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## It's News Here!

### Thompson Re-appointed as Mayor

Gordon "Sandy" Thompson was re-appointed by the Grayling City Council Tuesday night, November 12, to serve as Mayor of Grayling. The vote was 4-0 in favor of appointing Thompson as Mayor. Thompson abstained from the vote and there were no other nominations for Mayor. Robert Gohnick was re-appointed as Mayor Pro-Tem by a 4-0 vote. Gohnick abstained from the vote and there were no other nominations. The Mayor and Mayor Pro-Tem are appointed by the city council after each election. In the November 5th election, councilmen Thompson and Wm. Dennis Sloan were re-elected to the council for four years.

### Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service To Be Held

The AuSable Ministerial Association (an ecumenical organization in Crawford County) invites you to worship with them and give thanks to God for all our blessings in a special service. This service will be held on Wednesday, November 27th (the day before Thanksgiving) at 12 noon at Michelson Memorial Methodist Church. Hope to see you there!

### Thanksgiving Week Only Avalanche To Publish Tuesday

Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday Thursday, November 28th, the Avalanche will publish that week's issue only on Tuesday, Nov. 26th, instead of on Wednesday, our normal publishing day.

All news copy and advertisements for the Thanksgiving issue must be in our office by Friday noon, November 22nd or earlier if possible. Your help will be appreciated.

## Blood Bank At High School Wednesday Nov. 20th

### GPA To Sponsor Santa's Mailbox

A new addition to our Christmas celebration this year will be Santa's Mailbox for the children.

Location of the mailboxes will be the Mini-Mall, on the I-75 Business Loop, and the Mercantile Mall, downtown.

All children are urged to write Santa and drop off their letters.

### Avalanche Closed for Holiday

The Crawford County Avalanche office at 100 Michigan Avenue will be closed Thursday and Friday, November 28 and 29, in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday. Regular office hours, 9 to 5, will resume Monday, December 2nd. Advertisements and news about community events for the Thursday, December 5, issue should be brought to the Avalanche by Wednesday, November 27th.



**97th BIRTHDAY** — Laura Olson, a long-time resident of Grayling, celebrated her 97th birthday Saturday, November 16, at Wargo's Milltown Manor in Grayling. Laura's family moved here when she was young and her father, John C. Failing, started one of the first shingle mills in Beaver Creek. Laura enjoyed golfing and bowling up to age 89. Family, friends, and other Milltown Manor residents helped her celebrate her birthday Saturday.

## Buck Pole Filled On Opening Day

Downstate hunters beat the local rifle hunters this year at the Buck Pole at Skip's Sport Shop Friday and Saturday.

Downstate hunters hung 23 of the 37 bucks displayed at the Buck Pole over the two days this year. Last year, the local hunters took the honors hanging 22 of the 33 bucks on the pole.

The first hunter bringing in a buck Friday morning, the opening day of deer rifle season, was Teresa Barker, of Howell. She won \$150 in saving bonds — \$50 for first hunter in, \$50 for having one of first ten bucks brought in, and \$50 for first successful woman hunter. Barker had the buck at Skip's by 8:01 a.m. Friday.

Lloyd Crawford, of Grayling, brought in the first buck Saturday at 8:10 a.m. He won \$150 in saving bonds also — \$50 for first hunter in, \$50 for having one of the first ten bucks brought in, and \$50 for oldest successful hunter (50 years old).

Roger Lawrence, of Grayling, won \$50 in saving bonds Friday for bringing in the heaviest buck at 170 pounds. John Lowes, of Marine City, also won \$50 in saving bonds Friday tying with Lawrence for heaviest buck at 170 pounds.

Fred Shippy, 14, of Grayling, won \$50 in saving bonds Saturday for youngest successful hunter.

Rick Johnson, 17, of Muskegon, was the youngest successful hunter on Friday. Ben Miller, 63, was the oldest successful hunter on Friday.

Rick Hauk, of Bridgeport, took the overall prize of largest rack with an 8-point shot Saturday. The length of the main beam was 18 1/2 inches and the rack scored 95 1/8 points on the Boone and Crockett modified scoring system. His buck at 167 pounds was the heaviest brought in Saturday. He won a Remington 30-06 Rifle with scope.

Twenty six prizes were awarded the first day and 14 the second day at the Buck Pole sponsored by Skip's and the Grayling Chamber of Commerce.

Overall, the deer hanging on the pole were heavier than in previous years. A steady

rain most of Saturday kept many hunters out of the woods.

The following is a list of hunters bringing in bucks to the Buck Pole. Included is the size of the rack and weight of the deer. Besides the special categories, the first ten hunters in each day won \$50 saving bonds and the ones following won \$10 cash each.

#### FRIDAY

1. Teresa Barker, Howell, Spikehorn, 122
2. Gerry Albers, Warren, 3-pt., 109
3. Linda Stephan, Grayling, 3-pt., 142
4. Jim Failing, Grayling, 4-pt., 131
5. Rick Johnson, Muskegon, spikehorn, 117
6. Tony Latusek, Grayling, 8-pt., 150
7. David Morin, Erie, 4-pt., 120
8. Dale Boerema, Grayling, 6-pt., 137
9. Nancy Niederer, Grayling, 4-pt., 140
10. Autumn Peters, Mt. Pleasant, 4-pt., 107
11. Roger Lawrence, Grayling, 8-pt., 170
12. Berry Thomas, Marshall, 3-pt., 122
13. Gerald Michelson, Novi, 4-pt., 132
14. Glenn Lackey, Allen Park, 8-pt., 145
15. Mark Charles, Flint, 4-pt., 142
16. Kim Belcher, Grayling, Spikehorn, 114
17. John Lowes, Marine City, 8-pt., 170
18. Les Ballard, Mt. Clemens, Spikehorn 116
19. Dallas Anderson, Flint, Spikehorn, 103
20. Larry Lupekes, Grand Rapids, Spikehorn, 125
21. Bill Rutter, Jr., Grayling, 9-pt., 123
22. Ben Miller, Utica, 4-pt., 100
23. Larry Baven, Pontiac, 8-pt., 150
24. Cliff Kirby, Owosso, 8-pt., 147
25. Thomas Jukuble, Dearborn, Spikehorn, 100

#### SATURDAY

1. Lloyd Crawford, Grayling, 8-pt., 145
2. Rick Hauk, Bridgeport, 8-pt., 167
3. Phil Lubaczew, Trenton, 6-pt., 117
4. Rick Rigger, Kalamazoo, 8-pt., 135
5. John Stampfly, Grayling, 6-pt., 107
6. Joe Francis, Roscommon, 10-pt., 150
7. Dan Murray, Mt. Clemens, 9-pt., 140
8. John Gay, Grayling, 5-pt., 100
9. John Gay, Jr., Grayling, Spikehorn, 103
10. Bob Papineau, Port Huron, 8-pt., 135
11. Fred Shippy, Grayling, 3-pt., 115

## Auction Pushes United Way Near Goal



The United Way Auction held Saturday, November 9, at the Knights of Columbus Hall raised \$5,391 and nearly pushed the United Way Campaign in Crawford County to its goal.

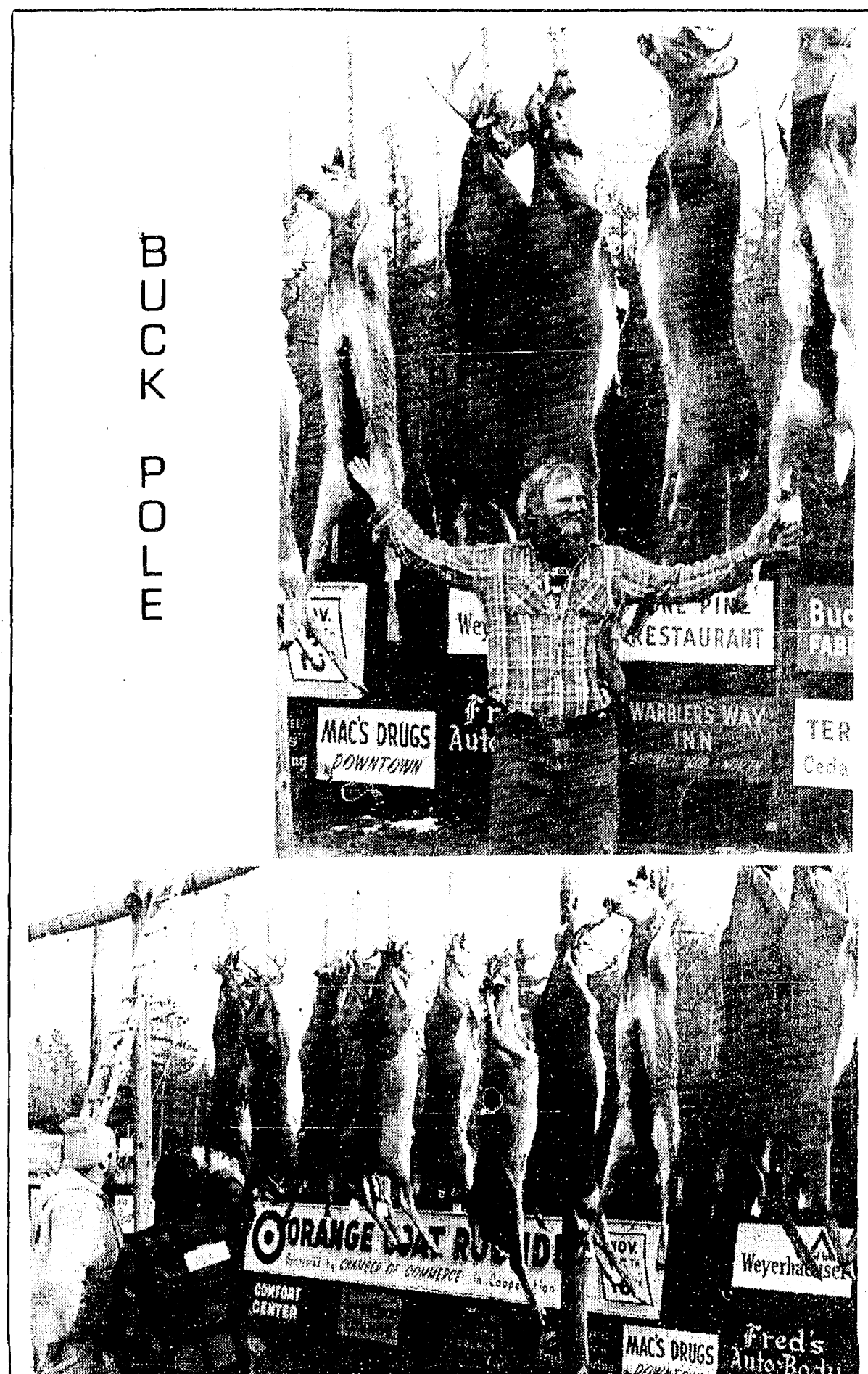
Crawford County's United Way Campaign goal is \$29,000 and the auction lifted the campaign mark to \$28,400 — 98 percent of the goal.

United Way campaign workers are confident the goal will be reached with contributions still coming in. Anyone interested in helping United Way top its goal in Crawford

County can send contributions to Crawford County United Way, P.O. Box 171, Grayling, MI 49738.

Two hundred and five tickets to the United Way Auction were sold. The auction featured live entertainment throughout the night.

United Way supports seven local agencies: Crawford County 4-H, Sibs for Kids, Community, Family, and Children Services, Girl Scouts, Salvation Army, Crawford AuSable Day Care, and AuSable Valley Youth Services.



**BIG BUCKS** — Lots of good-sized deer were hung on the Buck Pole Opening Day and lots of money was handed out to hunters for prizes at Skip's Sport Shop. Above, a hunter hams it up for a photo in front of all of the deer he claims to have shot. Below, a hunter tells his friend the big buck he shot at and missed looked just like that one on the end. (Jon Thompson Photos)

## School District Receives Excellent Interest Rate

Crawford AuSable School District officials and members of the Board of Education were elated with the outcome of the bond bid award made at their special meeting Thursday, November 14.

Crawford AuSable School District building and site bonds worth \$4,950,000 were sold to finance a construction project involving Middle School renovation, new construction and site work, Middle School gymnasium renovation, Grayling Elementary classroom additions and renovation, playground site work and bus garage construction. The voters of the district had authorized the Board to sell the bonds at a

September 10 election.

The Board accepted the bid of 8.2579% effective interest rate by Paine, Webber, Jackson and Curtis; the lowest of the four bids received by the district. The rate of 8.2579% over the twenty year life of the issue is the lowest interest rate for a school district bond sale of a comparable time length and amount in the state this year. Recent sales have ranged from 8.50% to 10.50%.

In the case of the Crawford AuSable School District, each percentage point saved is worth \$700,000, to the taxpayers over the twenty-year life of the issue. The

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## Students Jumping On Band Program Bandwagon

The Grayling High School Band is a hot item.

At the last two parades, for Homecoming and Halloween, the GHS Marching Band drew as many cheers as floats or costumed goblins.

With a new band director, Dennis Ormsbee, leading the way, student interest has increased. Last year, 22 students participated in the high school band. This year, there's already 36 students in band plus the GHS Marching Band has five volunteers carrying flags to add to the band's style.

In the lower grades, the band program has also attracted many more students.

This year, the 7th and 8th grade band or advanced band has 47 students compared to 35 last year. The 6th grade or beginning band increased from 26 students to 28 this year.

And this week, a new 5th grade band is being started by Ormsbee with as many as 100 students expressing interest in joining.

Additionally, Ormsbee has started a jazz group for high school students that meets before school a couple days a week.

Even with the increase at the high school, only about 6 percent of the high school students are involved with band right now.

"I'm hoping the numbers will continue to increase," said Ormsbee. "I would like to have 125 in the marching band."

Ormsbee said 125 students in the marching band would be about 22 percent of the high school student population — a goal that's not unrealistic with Ormsbee even though the state average is 10 percent.

Ormsbee taught for 13 years at Atlanta before coming to the Crawford AuSable School District, and at the high school level there 37 percent of the students were participating in band and at the junior high level 52 percent of the students participated.

If the numbers increase here, Ormsbee said eventually he would like to have separate fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth

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**GHS BAND** — Front, from left, Crystal Herdon, Stephanie Hindmarsh, Linda Goodale, Amy Phillips, Marie Stephan, Debbie Dibble, 2nd row, Kim Burpee, Amy Hough, Margo Rembowski, Tammy Fenton, Jeff Haas, Katie Tinker, Brigid Jones, Linda Denton, Angie Larson.

3rd row, Ray Hill, Jeff Hayes, Randy Pittman, Telaina Sanderson, Keith Whaley, Mike

Burkley, Chuck Johnson, Paul Baker, Ward Jones, Wendy Pittman, 4th row, Jenny Doty, Ray Ramsey, Tim Pernie, Jim Knight, Gary Beckwith, GHS Band Instructor Dennis Ormsbee, Lee Johnson, Beth Bedard, Melissa Jones, Joe Greer, Ed Tompkins, and absent is Dennis Mansfield.

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Whitey Madsen

## From Our Corner...



Another week of our frequent bits and pieces along with some trivial things in the life of a country editor...

Rifle deer season opener last weekend was all but what the hunter wanted...we do not know how many deer were taken, but the weather was not suited for hunting...last Friday, opening day was pleasant, but the two inches of snow we had gotten the previous Saturday morning was practically gone...Saturday, it rained all day...I can just imagine how wet someone can get just sitting, and staring into the woods just to see if they can see something move...

Gee, I'm happy all I am interested in is inside sports in the winter time...I was warm and dry all day Saturday, that is more than a lot of hunters can say...

I'm glad you asked...Yes, our Buckeye family arrived Wednesday evening, and from the time they got here our front door was something like the revolving doors going into big city stores...

John and Toni stayed at the Holiday Inn with three other couples of whom they knew from Traverse City...one couple now lives in Indiana, one in Lake Orion and the other one is still in T.C.

T.J. and Stefany, spent Thursday and Friday in Traverse City with friends of theirs, and spent a couple nights with us...

Like I mentioned above...it seemed like every time I looked up, someone was coming or someone was going out the front door...every now and then I would catch up with Toni, and ask her if she would fill me in on what was going to transpire in the next hour or so...

They left around Sunday noon with what they brought...sorry, no buck on top of the pickup...plans for them coming for Thanksgiving is probable, for Christmas, possible...in other words, we play it by ear...

When we came down to the office Sunday...Michigan Ave., resembled any other day than Sunday...there were cars all over the place...and as we watched, it was a mixture of hunters and people taking in the Christmas Walk and Open House sponsored by Flowers by Josie, Weaver's Gifts and the Icehouse...it would really help the economy if this happened on all of our weekends during the winter...it was an ideal day for the walk, no snow or rain, but a little nippy...temp around 35...

We were asked the other day how our den was doing...the answer, status quo...right now I'm waiting for President Reagan to return from the Soviet summit meeting with Russia's top haunch...I'd type his name but I don't know how to spell it...anyway, when the president returns, we're going to see if he would declare our den a disaster area, so we could apply for federal funds to clean up the mess...

You folks out there who turn to this page to read the wisdom that we pass on, don't know what a struggle it is at times for the ol' fella just to try to fill this turkey...this is one reason we put our column next to the 23 years ago column...when you get sick of reading us...just glance over and read a bit of nostalgia...in fact I suggest the 69 years ago...the writing back then was quite quaint, or at least I think so...some I'm sure will give you a chuckle, unless you're a humbug person...

Homer Annis, a Crawford County pioneer ran into a clipping he had saved about one of the largest Salmons caught...the salmon was caught in 1969 and weighed 102 pounds near Juneau, Alaska...it was on display at the 1970 Japan Worlds Fair...the salmon measured 52 inches in length, 39 inches in girth and the taxidermy charged \$200 to stuff it...Homer, in later years fished with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gatchell, Jr., the ones who caught the fish while he was in Florida...

Just another week has passed in our wonderful world as editor...no bitches...with that, goodnight T.J., Stefany and Amber, and to all do have a nice weekend...I guess there is still some venison on the hoof in the forest...

## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

**23 Years Ago**  
**November 22, 1962**  
Bill Joseph's 16th birthday was November 16th, and to celebrate the occasion twenty-two of his friends were entertained at dinner at the Joseph home, afterwards attending the Senior Class play at the high school.

Norman Sorenson, son of the Robert Sorensens, went to Detroit Wednesday of last week and passed exams for joining the Navy, and has been assigned for basic to Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Robert Sorenson was in Bay City Thursday to Saturday, visiting relatives.

Frank McNamara of Gladwin, Jack Wood of Gladwin, Freddie Troutwine of Flint, Wade Hendershot of Tecumseh and Larry McNamara spent the first few days of hunting season at the Hoot Owl Camp down river.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Nielson have a daughter, Karen Marie, born November 19. Her grandparents are Mrs. Myrtle McDaniel of Roscommon and Mrs. Edna McEvers of Grayling.

A daughter was born November 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sopsack of Roscommon.

Perry Wells shot an 8-point buck the opening day of deer season. Robert Henke of Lansing, who was a guest at the Wells home, shot a spikehorn the first day.

Mrs. B.E. Henig drove to Traverse City Wednesday to pick up her daughter Jeanette at N.W.M.C. and bring her home for Thanksgiving and the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kelsey of Houghton Lake are the parents of a son, Timothy Marvin, born November 16th. He weighed 7 lbs. 4 1/2 ozs. Mr. and Mrs. Devere Wolcott of Grayling and the Max Kelseys of Roscommon are his grandparents, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolcott of Grayling his great grandparents.

Jerry McEvers was one of the first to get his buck, shooting a spikehorn at 8 o'clock the opening morning.

Mrs. Larry McNamara was the guest of honor at a baby shower given Wednesday evening of last week by Mrs. Ralph Hoffman and Mrs. Lyle Billsby at the Hoffman home. There were about twenty present for the occasion. Several games were played, with prizes going to Mrs. Ward Ellison, Mrs. Whitey Madsen and Mrs. Fraser Dean. Then Mrs. McNamara opened her gifts and displayed them. A cake topped with a baby and bassinet centered the refreshment table, and was served by the hostesses. Mrs. Paul Dosch poured the coffee.

**46 Years Ago**  
**November 23, 1939**

When Clark E. Ferguson and his party started home to Ann Arbor Wednesday morning they had, besides a fine deer, a huge black bear. It was a beautiful animal and was estimated to weigh between 400 and 500 pounds. It was shot near Big Creek in Lovell township. The bear was coming toward him, said Mr. Ferguson, and one shot in the forehead killed it almost instantly. The fur was in prime condition and will be made into a rug, according to its captor. Mr. Ferguson resides in Ann Arbor but has a newly built cabin on Big Creek where the family

enjoy as much of their leisure time as possible. Mr. Ferguson is chairman of the county road commission in Washenaw County.

Wayne Thomas is the name of the son that was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ora Ingalls on November 14. The babe weighed 8 pounds, 15 ounces.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Welch of Frederic, at Mercy Hospital, November 16th. Mrs. Welch and baby are getting along nicely at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Patrick McKay.

Wednesday morning was the coldest day so far this fall. By 6 o'clock Tuesday the thermometer had dropped to 28 degrees above zero and at 6 o'clock this morning had dropped to 20 above. The hunters are still looking for snow which the cold weather may bring. The number of deer killed this year has been considerably lower than usual, as is reported by conservation officers. Hunters having bagged their bucks have had to go home sooner than they expected because of warm weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Loeffler of Lovells have as guests during the deer hunting season their daughter-in-law Mrs. Margaret Loeffler and Miss Mary Jones of Detroit. Incidentally the ladies are helping at Paul's Tavern while here.

Glenn Smith of South Boardman is helping Ora Ingalls in his coal delivery business.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Reid of Twinning were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnow Hanson here for hunting.

**69 Years Ago**  
**November 23, 1916**

It was a large crowd that gathered at Danebod Hall Sunday evening to listen to one of Grayling's former boys, Alfred Sorenson, give a lecture. After the lecture the evening was spent socially. The ladies of the D.Y.P. society served lunch.

Miss Elsa Salling left Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Spencer Meilstrup and family at Lansing.

Fred Norris, who has been employed at the Salling, Hanson Co. planing mill, left last week for Bay City to spend a few days with his parents before leaving for North Carolina where he has accepted a fine position.

Rev. Fr. Herr of Detroit, who has a cottage on the AuSable river below Goodar's filled his deer license last week by bagging a fine large buck.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Elizabeth Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Charles Finn of Saginaw, to Mr. Axel Esbern Michelson of Detroit, son of Nels Michelson of this city, which will be held at Hotel Baueroft at Saginaw Saturday evening December 2 at 8:30 o'clock.

Monday, Hodge and King proprietors of the Royale Cafe, purchased the City restaurant from the proprietor Jay Lake, and immediately took possession. This gives Hodge and King almost a monopoly of the restaurant business in Grayling. Mr. Lake says that he has not decided just what he will do, but expects to remain in Grayling.

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## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### REAGAN AND ARMAGEDDON

Is President Reagan's belief in the Bible endangering our national security? Why are the religious and political liberals denouncing President Reagan's view of the world's future?

In a radio documentary, "Ronald Reagan and the Prophecy of Armageddon", Joe Cuomo suggested that President Reagan has repeated at least 11 times that the end of the world is coming, and it may be coming soon. For example Reagan is quoted in the New York Times, Oct. 25, 1984, as saying, "We may be the generation that sees Armageddon." The Jerusalem Post of Oct. 28, 1983 quotes Reagan as saying, "You know, I turn back to your ancient prophets in the Old Testament and the signs foretelling Armageddon, and I find myself wondering if - if we're the generation that's going to see that come about."

Reagan said in People magazine, Dec., 1983, "Theologians had been studying the ancient prophecies - what would portend the coming of Armageddon? - and have said that never, in the time between the prophecies up until now, has there ever been a time in which so many of the prophecies are coming together. There have been times in the past when people thought the end of the world was coming, and so forth, but never anything like this."

Belief in a future battle of Armageddon at the end of this present age comes from

consistent literalism in Bible interpretation. In other words, it means simply believing what God said would happen to this world in the future. Many Americans have studied this doctrine in "Late Great Planet Earth" by Hal Lindsey. Others have heard this teaching by TV evangelists like Jerry Falwell or Pat Robertson. Perhaps U.S. Senator Howell Heflin's reported discussion with Reagan points to the main issue of concern, "We are talking about the fact that the Middle East, according to the Bible, would be the place where Armageddon would start...He (Reagan) interprets the Bible and Armageddon to mean that Russia is going to get involved."

While all Bible believers will not be dogmatic about an exact scenario, most of us believe Bible reference to Gog and Magog in Ezekiel 38 and 39, and the king of the north in Daniel 11:40 identify Russia as a principle power to come against Israel in the last days leading to the last great war on earth.

Both history and prophecy in the Bible assure us that these future events are certain. Liberal humanists are disturbed because they plan to surrender our national sovereignty to globalism by the year 2000 to avoid this kind of war. At stake is not the future of Israel, Russia, Egypt or other countries whose futures are clearly defined in the Bible. At stake is the future of the United States of America. The liberals offer us a certain future of communist slavery. President Reagan

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apparently believes God may preserve a strong, and free America to defend righteousness in the last days. Those of us who believe the Bible support president Reagan's position as a positive hope. The

liberal alternative is certain slavery, and the probable destruction and death of our nation.

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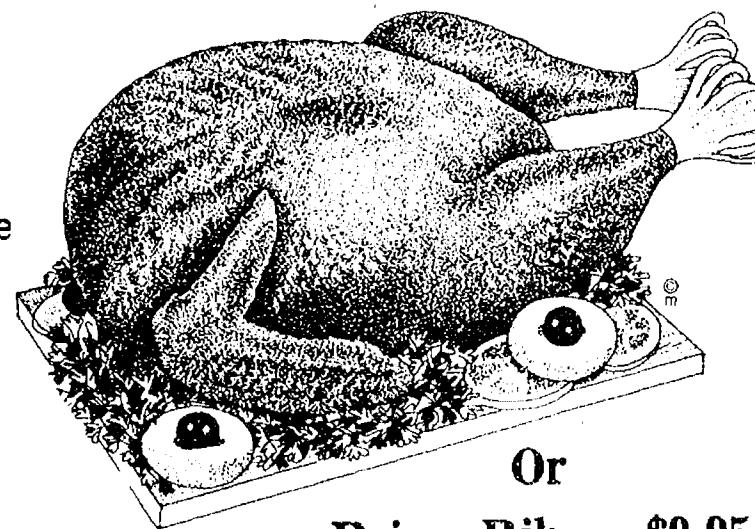
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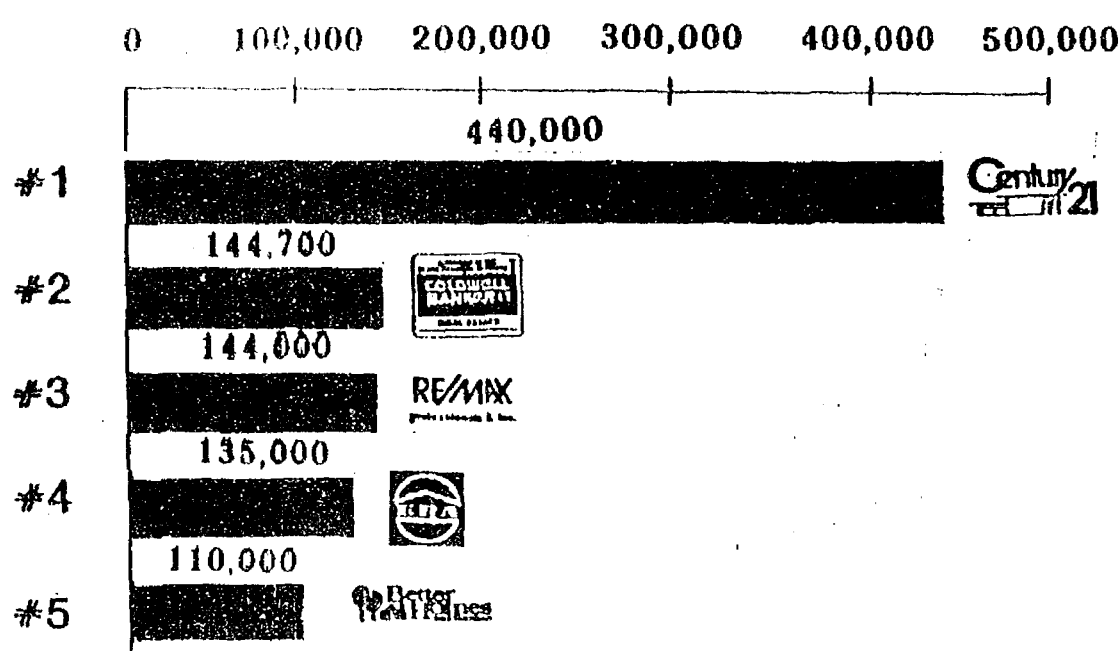
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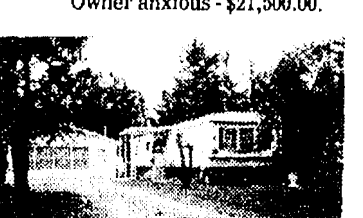


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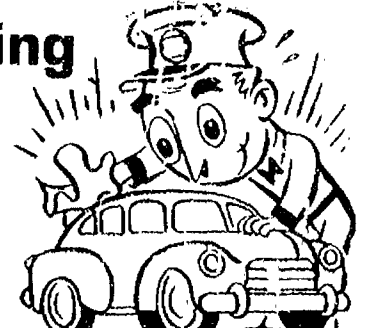
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### Government Benefits Spread Around



by Richard Millman

TIME ONCE more for one of our infrequent strolls, barefoot among the potpourri...

ALMOST HALF of United States non-farm households receive assistance from the federal government in one form or another, according to the Census Bureau.

In the first quarter of 1984, benefits went to a whopping 47 percent of such households, covering such areas as social security, welfare, Medicaid, food stamps and school lunches.

Social security was most common, going into 23.5 million homes, Medicare to 20.5 million homes, Medicaid to 7.6 million.

Many households received more than one form of assistance. The Census Bureau said that of the six million recipients of food stamps, 69 percent also received Medicaid, 40 percent school lunches, and 23 percent lived in public or subsidized rental housing.

Sixty-two percent of all families headed by women, with children under 18, received some form of assistance.

Is it any wonder it's so tough to cut the federal budget?

THINGS ARE changing in New Hampshire, where state offices no longer will be closed on Fast Day.

That holiday was celebrated on the fourth Monday of April, and marked a day of fast and prayer ordered on behalf of the ailing president of the royal province of New Hampshire in 1681. But no more.

Reminds me of the old school holidays in Michigan — and elsewhere, I presume — wherein schools were closed in the fall to permit students to help bring in the crops. In some places, they were called Potato Days. Wonder what happened to them?

IN MORRISTOWN, N.J., according to United Press International, Mamie Truesdale turned 112, and professed she had no secret for living so long. She said she smoked, drank and chewed tobacco for most of her life — and still enjoys all three activities.

"The only regret I have is that I didn't learn to read and write," Ms. Truesdale is

quoted. "Education is so important."

Makes you wonder how she would have turned out if she had gone to school.

DOWN IN GALVESTON, Tex., a new system is scheduled to go into effect, whereby a major credit card can be used to cover fines or bail for minor offenses so those arrested can escape going to jail.

"Instead of spending the night, if someone has a credit card, they can get out," explained the city manager, Doug Matthews.

He said the policy is designed to improve collection of fines and reduce the number of inmates, especially when banks are closed. And most arrests for drunkenness and disorderly conduct and such come after banking hours.

That's only the city jail in Galveston, though. Over at the county lockup, Sheriff Joe Max Taylor said there's no way he would accept plastic money.

So, if you get in trouble in the city of Galveston, just say, "Charge It."

EVER HEAR of poetic justice? How about Sir Robert Watson-Watt, the World War II inventor of radar who was stopped for speeding while driving in Canada shortly after the war. Seems he had been caught by a radar trap.

YOU'VE HEARD of Murphy's Law, which claims that anything that can go wrong, will. How about these other "laws" — and you're free to use your own name on them:

— The price of the dinner varies inversely with the amount of light in the restaurant.

— The slowest checker is always at the quick-check-out lane.

— It's not so important how much it costs, but rather how much you save.

— The best laid plans of mice and men are usually about equal.

— All important information on any chart is on the fold, which is torn.

— A document discarded as worthless will become vital shortly after the trash is collected.

## Does Prenatal Care Really Make a Difference?

(Third of a Three-Part Series)

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The following article is based on an actual interview between the author (Sandra Heintz, Arbor Associates) and a health department client who lives in northern Michigan. Although the names have been changed out of respect to the client's privacy, the story is a factual account of the client's experience.

Jenny and Bob have been married for five years, although not the first marriage for either. Jenny has four children by her first marriage, ranging in ages from 15 to 21, and Bob has an eight-year old daughter by his first marriage. Like so many couples starting a new life together, they greatly desired to have a baby. However, several frustrating years passed with no conception. After nearly giving up hope, Jenny discovered in February, 1985, there was a good chance she was pregnant after a home pregnancy test she took showed positive results.

Jenny and Bob were both elated with the possibility of the pregnancy. But their joy was also mixed with anxiety. After all, Jenny was 39 years old and well aware that her biological clock was ticking away. Also in the back of her mind was a painful memory of a previous miscarriage. She therefore wisely decided to see her physician right away.

Her pregnancy was confirmed, and a prenatal care schedule was worked out, including regular prenatal visits with her physician. Her physician's nurse also referred Jenny to the local health department where, because of her income level, she could take advantage of several programs available for pregnant women. Jenny received vitamins, nutritional counseling and food coupons through the health department's WIC program, which is a special supplemental food program for women, infants, and children. She also received financial assistance with the prenatal care costs through the health department's prenatal care program.

As her physician explained to her, the pregnancy was not without risks. Her age was the first thing to consider. Women over 35 tend to have a greater risk for chromosome problems. One of the most common problems related to chromosome irregularities is a condition known as Down's Syndrome. A procedure can be done, called amniocentesis, where a sample of the amniotic fluid surrounding the fetus is analyzed to determine if any genetic or metabolic defects exist. If Down's Syndrome is found early enough, a woman today can decide to terminate her pregnancy. But as Jenny explained, "Bob and I wanted this baby so much, we knew we would love it even if it were born with special problems." So they chose not to have the amniocentesis performed.

With the first major decision behind them, Bob and Jenny attempted to think of the pregnancy in a positive manner. But as Jenny observed, it's not easy. "You can't help but worry about all kinds of things. I did a lot of reading about what could go wrong and naturally I

wondered if those things might happen to me." With the physician's encouragement, Jenny and Bob began to relax. After all, she had four uncomplicated pregnancies behind her and she was in good health.

Somewhere between her third and fourth month, Jenny was informed by her physician that she had developed a condition known as gestational diabetes. This is a form of diabetes which sometimes appears spontaneously in pregnant women, even in women like Jenny, with no history of the disease. Jenny was immediately alarmed by the term "diabetes" and visualized herself having to take insulin in mass dosages. However, her physician quickly assured her that this was not an uncommon condition among pregnant women, and generally disappears once the pregnancy is over. And in most cases, insulin shots are not necessary if a special diet is followed. Once again, however, it is not without risks. In extreme cases, the babies of diabetic women sometimes die, without warning, during the last few weeks or days of pregnancy inside the uterus. And babies born to diabetic women are generally larger in size, creating potential birth complications. For these reasons, Jenny's physician advised that she have a Caesarean section as

soon as tests show the baby's lungs were mature enough.

The remaining months of Jenny's pregnancy were difficult emotionally. "I don't know what I would have done without my husband's encouragement," stated Jenny. Jenny's support system also included her OB/GYN; an internal medicine specialist who monitored her diabetes; hospital dieticians who helped her with a controlled diet plan; the health department staff who were available to advise her regarding pregnancy and health educational issues and who offered emotional support; and countless others inside and outside the health profession. And on August 20, 1985, four weeks shy of her due date, Bob and Jenny became the proud parents of a healthy, 9 lb. 8 oz. baby boy. Jenny summarized, "I feel like a little child with a new toy. Bob and I are ecstatic!"

Did prenatal care make a difference in the birth of Jenny's healthy baby? It's hard to say for sure. But Jenny's baby got the best of everything before he was born. If you're pregnant, give your baby the best of you by keeping yourself healthy, and the best of medical care by calling your physician or local health department now to find out about prenatal care services in your area.

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## Michigan Mirror

### Governor Proclaims "Solvency Day," Says Future is Brightest Ever



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Governor James Blanchard certified that Michigan has its financial house in order for the first time since 1975, and said the state's regained solvency puts it in a much stronger position to deal with its problems.

The certification that over \$800 million in an accumulated debt has been repaid will trigger a December 1 income tax cut of .25 percentage points to a 5.1 percent rate, and transfer a previously earmarked cigarette tax to the general fund.

The Governor said he is encouraged by a new Senate Republican tax plan with an earlier rollback and property tax relief, and expects an agreement — although perhaps not yet this year — on when to drop the tax back to a 4.6 percent level.

Blanchard proclaimed Friday, November 8, as "Solvency Day" and next week as "Solvency Week" to celebrate the completion of his financial recovery plan enacted in 1983 to deal with the debt — which had been masked by accounting gimmicks — as well as a \$900 million deficit in that fiscal year caused by a recession.

The plan included boosting the income tax rate to 6.1 percent, from 4.6 percent, cutting that year's spending, and reducing state employment.

Solvency Day "is a day for Michigan citizens to take pride in the fact that their sacrifice and hard work have made Michigan solvent and an example for the rest of the nation. Our financial health makes possible economic health and jobs, and that makes for a future. Our future is the brightest it has been than at any time in our history," Blanchard said.

He said when the next recession hits, the state will be better able to deal with it because of stronger institutions from increased aid for schools and colleges, a bigger budget stabilization fund, fewer state employees, and a more diversified state economy.

The Governor said that with the December 1 drop in the income tax, "We are keeping our pledge that the temporary tax was and is temporary."

The cut means a \$175 million tax cut this fiscal year, while the transfer to the general fund of a 10-cent per pack cigaret-

te tax carries \$90 million this year, both of which were reflected in the current year budget.

Blanchard has proposed, and the House has approved, dropping the income tax rate to 4.6 percent on May 1 (instead of October 1, 1987 as now set in law), but Senate Republicans are pushing a new plan with a December 1 rollback.

They contend that since the tax increase was intended to deal with a problem that is now solved, it should be rescinded immediately.

But the Governor said that would mean a return to "voodoo bookkeeping," since he said he does not trust Senate Fiscal Agency figures which indicate the earlier rollback could be accomplished and still leave the state with a surplus.

But when asked if his May dates were negotiable, Mr. Blanchard said, "I have to believe there is some way to work it out. My concern is the financial plan remain on track."

Senate Finance Committee Chairman Norman Shinkle (R-Lambertville) said he will propose advancing that to November 11, which would coincide with the beginning workweek of a solvent state government. He said the change would still leave about \$7 million in a special account which had been set up to reverse the accounting measures.

The Governor said the inclusion by Republicans of senior citizen property tax relief "could be a major breakthrough" because they now support moving in that direction. He had proposed a more general expansion of property tax relief through more generous income tax credits.

Blanchard and Treasurer Robert Bowman certified the elimination of the debt during a Detroit press conference, which was linked by telephone to conferences in 10 other cities around the state.

Additionally, Bowman sent letters to the two major New York credit rating agencies informing them that the state has fully returned to accepted accounting practices. The state has won the highest credit rating on short-term debts from the agencies, but is still seeking improvement in its long-term bond rating.

### THOUGHT FOR FOOD

by GOULD CROOK

#### Crunchy Chicken Salad

- 1/2 cup chopped, toasted peanuts
- 1/2 cup toasted sesame seeds
- 2 generous cups cooked chicken, cubed
- 1/4 cup finely chopped onion
- 2 tbsp. soy sauce
- 2 tbsp. Ho'lland House Red Cooking Wine
- 3/5 cup mayonnaise

To toast nuts and sesame seeds, spread in shallow pan, place in 350° oven for 8 to 10 minutes, stirring often. When cooled combine with chicken and chopped onion. In a separate bowl, blend wine and mayonnaise. Pour over chicken mixture, tossing thoroughly. Serve chilled on lettuce leaves. Serves 4.  
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## American Education Week Activities at the Middle School

During the week of November 18-22 the Grayling Middle School is celebrating American Education Week. Several special and meaningful activities are planned for the students for this occasion.

**Library:** Mrs. Pat Failing planned to have posters of American authors such as Poe, London and Hawthorne on display in the library along with a display of their works.

**Reading classes:** Mrs. Rita Siders classes will be honoring Mark Twain whose 150th birthday is November 30th. They are reading some of his famous stories, seeing filmstrips, and writing a biography of Twain using notetaking, outlining, and summary skills which they have been working on.

**Science classes:** The science classes will be viewing the Apollo space mission films: The Eagle Has Landed and Flight of Apollo II. The science teachers for the middle school are Mr. Butch Stockton, Mr. Don Ferguson, Mr. Fred Wolcott, Mrs. Ann Doty and Mr. Larry Austin.

**Social Studies classes:** Mr. Stockton's classes will be studying the latter half of the Middle Ages and the discovery of North America. To highlight this beginning of the migration of Europe to America, the students will each be doing a "family tree." They might be able to trace someone's family ties back to a royal family or at least to one of the countries in Europe or elsewhere. Hopefully, this project will give them some insight into our heritage and reinforce the reasons for studying history and social studies.

**Music classes:** Mr. Dennis Ormsbee, band director, is inviting parents to sit in on classes throughout the week of November 18-29, 1985. The band is preparing for the upcoming Christmas concert.

**History classes:** Mr. Tom St. Germain's classes will be studying the American Revolutionary War and writing essays.

### A.A.R.P. to Meet Mon., Nov. 25th

The Crawford County Chapter #1681 of the American Association of Retired Persons will hold the November meeting on Monday the 25th at the Commission on Aging office located within the Grayling Housing Project. Please note, there will be a Board meeting at 1 p.m. and the Regular meeting will be at 1:30.

An interesting program is planned, and Nancy Holcomb from the Grayling Health Center will be the speaker. Refreshments will be served. Visitors are welcome.

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Cris McLaughlin, Amy Smith, Dianne Walker, Debbie Wadsworth, Erin Barrow, Tina Golnick, Shelly Brooks, front, Sondra Lawson, James Montoya, and Phyllis Wadsworth. The comedy-mystery was directed by Howard Taylor (Carrol Wert Photo)



On Smokeout Day, November 21st, everyone tries to be especially kind to smokers who are trying to quit. It's a time of lighthearted fun. Never-smokers or ex-smokers who are "adopting" current smokers for the day should offer moral support, encouragement, and incentives to help get them through the day — and hopefully longer.

- Show that you care - you have a vested interest in keeping your adoptee in good health.
- Don't nag or threaten!
- Provide him or her with a survival kit of low calorie nibbles - carrots and celery, sticks of cinnamon, sugarless gum, etc.
- Try to make yourself available either in person or by phone for the entire day.
- Take your adoptee out for breakfast or lunch. Or promise a special dinner at his or her favorite restaurant.
- Go public with your adoption. Enlist the help of others in giving moral support to your adoptee.
- Especially if you're a never-smoker, consider giving up something for the day, too...candy, desserts, coffee, etc.
- If you're an ex-smoker, share your experiences rather than lecture on the dangers of smoking. What

worked for you may work for others.

- Schedule an evening activity that minimizes the temptation to smoke. See a movie in a theater that prohibits smoking - or try a strenuous activity like racquetball, bowling, or a swim at the local pool...or stage a get-together with fellow adopters and their "foundlings."
- Be a cheerleader - offer praise, encouragement and finally, at the end of the day, congratulations!
- Urge them to stay off cigarettes now that they've made it for a day!

Help a friend quit smoking. Adopt a smoker for the Great American Smoke-out, November 21st. Adoption papers and helpful hints will be available from 10 a.m. til 4:00 p.m. at the Grayling State Bank. Help that smoker get through the day without a cigarette - and maybe off them for good!

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- Nov 21 Pastoral Care Education Program - Medical Ethics and Confidentiality - 1:30 to 3:30 Ext. 127 for information
- Nov 25 Blood Pressure Clinic - Lobby 3:30 to 7:30 - Children and Adults.
- Nov 25 New Brother/New Sister Program - 7:00 Board Room - Ext. 320 for information
- Nov 26 STEP/TEEN Program - 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. - Riverside Room

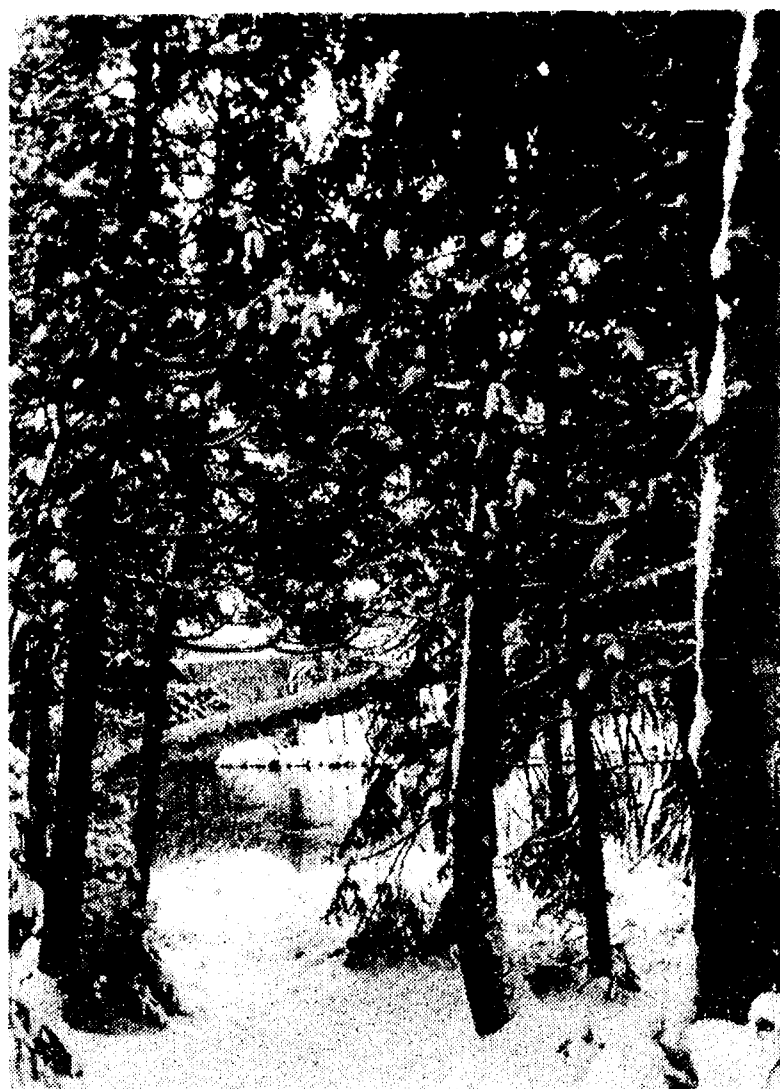
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Crawford County Board of Commissioners  
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**EARLY SNOW** — A November 9th snowstorm dumped several inches of snow on Crawford County. Icy roads Monday and Tuesday followed the snowstorm giving county residents a nice taste of winter in November. (Chuck Kolb Photo)

## Eastern Star Bazaar-Luncheon

The Grayling Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star is holding a Bazaar at the Masonic Temple on Friday, Nov. 22, from 10:00 a.m. till 2:00 p.m.

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From 11:00 to 1:00 lunch will be served — soup, sandwiches, dessert and beverage.

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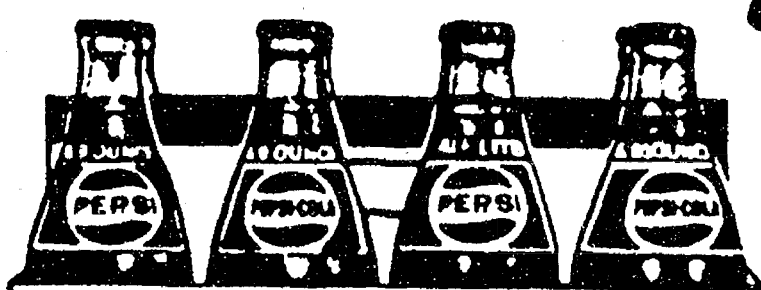


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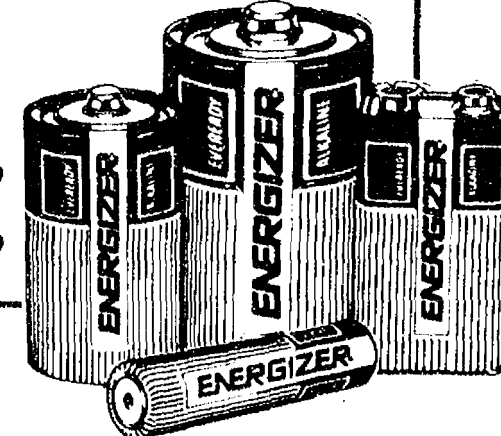
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## Grayling Starts District Basketball Here Friday

Grayling meets Whittemore-Prescott Friday night at 8:30 p.m. in the second game of a district double-header here at the high school gym.

Lake City plays Tawas in the first game at 7 p.m. Friday. The winner of the Lake City-Tawas game meets Houghton Lake at 7 p.m. Monday again in the GHS gym. The winner of the Grayling-Whittemore game meets Roscommon at 8:30 p.m. Monday.

The championship game for this district will be played at 7 p.m. Tuesday night. Viking coach Tom Mills said Houghton Lake, who will probably enter the tournament with an 18-2 record, will be the favorites. He placed Roscommon as the next team to beat and said Grayling, Lake City, Tawas, and Whittemore-Prescott all have a chance to pull off upsets.

Houghton Lake is in a similar position Grayling

was in last year. Grayling also entered the district tournament 18-2, but were beat in an overtime game by Roscommon.

This year, Grayling 6-13 with one game to go, will be underdogs but will have a home court to play on.

In regular season play last week, Grayling split with

### COA NEWS

Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. is offering financial assistance to low income seniors; Commission on Aging has the forms available and we will assist you in filling them out. Call the COA office to see if you can qualify for this program.

The COA Homemaking Program offers assistance to home bound and/or handicapped seniors. Tasks performed are light house-keeping, dusting, vacuuming, wash dishes, wash windows, etc. Homemakers can also perform light Personal Care services: baths, wash hair, trim nails, etc. Please call 348-8031 for more information.

**COMING ATTRACTIONS**  
Card games will resume in January; new day and time. Watch for details.

Christmas Dinner Dance on December 16th, 5:00 p.m.  
Classic Movie Night on December 18th, immediately follows the 4:30 p.m. Dinner.

Menu and Activities for November 25th thru 29th  
Mon., 1:30 - AARP Meeting, 3:00 - Song Birds, 4:30 - Dinner (Veal Pepper Steak).  
Tues., 10:00 - Exercise, 1:00 - Bowling, 1:00 - RSVP Cards, 4:30 - Dinner (Lasagna), 5:00 - "Medicare & Supplements".

Wed., 1:00 - Thanksgiving Dinner and Celebration (Roast Turkey Buffet & Salad Bar). Song Birds will provide the entertainment. (Reserve Dinner before the 25th).

Thurs. - Thanksgiving Day, Meal Site Closed.

Fri. Closed - Have a nice Holiday weekend. We'll be open as usual Monday, Dec. 2nd.

Roscommon and Houghton Lake. They beat Roscommon at home 57-41 and lost to Houghton Lake 52-40 on the road.

Grayling was behind 12-9 after one quarter against Roscommon before they pulled away. Grayling scored 15, 16, and 17 points the next three quarters. They held Roscommon to only six points in the second quarter.

"We played more as a team starting in the second quarter," said Mills. "We rebounded well, shot well, and played the way we're capable of playing. It was a good win for us."

Shawn Denton scored 17, Michelle Moore 11, Richele Trudeau 7, Dena Thayer 6, Katherine Kraus 4, Kim Springer 4, Stacey Hinds 4, and Jennifer Ojala 4.

Against Houghton Lake, Mills said his team couldn't catch the ball, couldn't shoot, couldn't pass, and couldn't play defense. Grayling had nearly 30 turnovers for the game.

The first quarter started out only 7-2 in favor of Houghton Lake. Grayling was down 23-18 and 31-26 after the next two quarters. The Vikings managed to cut the lead to one point in the fourth quarter but couldn't go ahead.

Springer led the team with 17, Moore had 11, Denton 6, Trudeau 6, Ojala 2, and Stephanie Hindmarsh 2.

Grayling lost Stacey Hinds to an ankle injury and she will miss the rest of the season.

### Frederic News

by Eva Hulbert

Senior Citizen Reminder for the Special Thanksgiving Dinner on November 27th, at 1:00 p.m. Served within the Grayling Housing, 308 Lawndale Drive. Reservations in by the 25th please. Chief Pete is planning a buffet, featuring freshly carved roast turkey, with all the trimmings, salad bar - many choices and pumpkin pie. Same price, bring a friend, come out and see some old friends and meet some new ones. Hope to see you there.

Congratulations to Helen and Clarence Budd who wish to announce they have a daughter, Margaret Ann on November 11, 1985 at Mercy Hospital in Grayling. She weighed 4 lbs. 7 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Robert Cottrill of Maple Forest, Charles and Ann Budd of Grayling and great grandmother Loa Overy of Frederic.

Congratulations to Raymond and Evelyn Brown on their upcoming 60th Anniversary, November 24th. The Browns have been long time neighbors here in Frederic. And Mrs. Brown is well known for her many activities. Our young ladies who most of them are married and family of their own now, would remember the good times they had in the Brownies, and the event of the awards night The Little Women's Party. The many quilts that were made when a new baby was born, and much more. So I hope some of us can take time for a card or a call, their feeling much better these days. Have a good day.

Workers In Frederic are sponsoring a Christmas decorating contest. This is for the exterior of your home only. Frederic and Maple Forest residents are eligible and also any businesses in those two areas. Judging will take place during the week of December 16th thru the 20th with the three top winners being announced and notified December 21st.

All you have to do to enter is send a postcard with your name, address, directions if necessary and phone number to the following address:

Workers in Frederic  
Rt. 1 Box 120 A  
Frederic, Mich. 49733  
The three top winners will win Gift Certificates of \$15.00, \$10.00, and \$5.00 respectively.

Entries must be received no later than Monday, December 16th.

### Carrot Term

The term "crecy" means either made of or garnished with carrots.

### CPR Classes at Lovells

CPR Classes will be held at the Lovells Township Hall on Monday, December 2nd and Wednesday, December 4th, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Both classes must be attending to be certified. All are welcome. Any questions, call Joyce Mullin, 348-2197.

### Immunization Clinic

District Health Dept. No. 1, Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling, will hold its monthly immunization clinic on Monday, November 25, 1985.

Please call 348-2841 extension 258, so your child's record will be available at the clinic.

### Hospital News

Those discharged from the hospital last week were: Margaret Drouillard, Byron Randolph, and Delores VanNuck and baby, all of Grayling, Helen Budd of Frederic, Doris Walker of Hubbard Lake, and James Budgan Jr. of Roscommon.

Paul and Dee VanNuck of Grayling are happy over the arrival of Zachary Paul on November 8. Zachary weighed 6 lbs. and 8 ozs.

Clarence and Helen Budd of Frederic are pleased to announce the arrival of Margaret Ann on November 11. Little Margaret Ann weighed in at 4 lbs. 7 1/2 ozs.

James Douglas arrived to Frank and Cherie Diemert of Roscommon on November 11. James weighed in at 7 lbs. 9 ozs.

Jack and Vickie David of Mio are proud to announce the arrival of a son, Anthony William was born on November 11 and weighed 6 lbs. 12 ozs.

Roger and Doris Walker of Hubbard Lake are thrilled over the arrival of Jessica May on November 11. Jessica weighed 6 lbs. 8 ozs.

A son arrived to Randy and Terri Nugent of Houghton Lake on November 15. Eric Michael weighed in at 7 lbs. 6 1/2 ozs.

### Narcotics Anonymous

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Irene A Recovering Drug Addict The meeting will be at 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 20th, at the Grayling City Hall in the Conference Room.

### CARD OF THANKS

For Thomas Sussex To each and every friend who cared for Tom during his long illness and frequent stays at Mercy Hospital, we extend our deepest appreciation. We especially thank Dr. Charles Oppy, his wonderful office staff, Dr. George Kieler, Dr. William George, Sister Mary Patrice, Sister Genesee, Sister Alice Marie & Sister Marjorie; all the personnel on 2 North, Long Term Care, dietary, respiratory, physical therapy, housekeeping, maintenance, the girls at the front desk, lab, X-ray, Dr. Modesto Lorenzo, records, business office, Sister Mary Ellen and Administration, ER & CCU staffs, 2 South. You all helped him either directly or indirectly. May God Bless and reward each of you and all your dear ones.

Regina, Andrew, Madonna & Greg, Teresa, Elizabeth & Skip, Mary, Pat & Nancy, Jack & Karen, Tom Jr. & Arlene, Art & Shirley & Barbara

### Correction

Pastor Taylor officiated the Valdick funeral, not Pastor Barnett, as stated in last week's paper.

### Ruby Reetz Feted On 80th Birthday

Ruby Reetz was feted by her family at a special birthday dinner honoring her 80th birthday. The dinner was held at the Chief Shoppengans Hotel on Saturday evening, November 9, 1985.

Forty-seven members of her family were in attendance. The buffet dinner was preceded by grace which was a poem written for her by her son, Bob Chappel. The birthday cake was made by her daughter-in-law, Eileen Chappel.

Attending were the Robert Chappel family, Jack and Delores Kinsora and family, both of Grayling, Gene and Janet Berezynski and family of Mt. Clemens, and the Patricia Sturm family of Roseville. Guests included 20 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren while 21 more relatives sent their best wishes.

### Grayling Elementary School News

#### Veteran's Day

On November 11, 1985, we fourth graders went to Grayling State Bank to celebrate Veteran's Day. Mr. Alef announced that he was going to say the veterans that had died. We had to sing "My Country Tis of Thee." They shot off guns that scared us out of our wits. By Stacey Austin, Darcie McCurdy, Melissa Brown, and Jamie Lobsinger.

#### Lovells News

Dave Paquette and daughter, Kari & friend, Bill Alexander, from Mt. Clemens, and Eddie Harwood & Steve Granda from Midland spent a few days visiting Margie Harwood and family.

Our community was saddened by the death of Mrs. Jane Commons who passed away at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Commons have been residents of our community for the past 15 years and have many friends who extend their deepest sympathy to the family.

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 at the club room. Please bring scissors, darning needle, and any extra yarn.

Mrs. Vickie Davio enjoyed having her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Krast from Detroit visit her for a few days, and while here they enjoyed some hunting.



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BORROW PIT BLOCK - T27N, R03E, Sec. 05, E 1/2 NE. Oscoda County (Appr. \$9,875.70)

SELECTION CUT BLOCK - T27N, R03E, Sec. 03, E 1/2 of SW, SW/SW. Oscoda County. (Appr. \$28,223.35)

STEEL HILL BLOCK - T28N, R03E, Sec. 08, NE 1/4. Oscoda County. (Appr. \$15,528.45)

HOODWINKER PINE BLOCK - T28N, R03E, Sec. 08, S 1/2/SE, E 1/2/SW. Oscoda County. (Appr. \$9,040.00)

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Bid forms and envelopes may be obtained from the Area Forest Manager. All bids must be submitted on the bid form and in the Department's bid envelope, or envelope clearly identified.

Bids must be received by James McMillan, Area Forest Manager, Mio Forest Area, AuSable State Forest, 191 South Mt. Tom Road, Mio, Michigan 48847, not later than 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, December 3, 1985.

For further information, contact James McMillan at 517-826-3211.

Ronald O. Skoog  
Director

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### GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Please be notified the Grayling Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on November 26, 1985, at 7:30 p.m. in the Township Office, West M-72 Plaza to hear the following case:

Case 85-11: Planning Commission, petitioner.

A request for an amendment to Zoning Ordinance 83-4 to allow as a conditional use in the R-F zone multiple family units up to 35 feet in height.

Tentative texts and zoning maps may be examined at the Township office during regular business hours.

Correspondence concerning the request should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, Mi. 49738 Tel. 517/348-4361.

Monte S. Ashton, Clerk

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Soccer is a running and passing co-ed sport. It has provided an opportunity for our youths to participate in an increasingly popular sport that helps build confidence, develop skills and encourages teamwork. Soccer is a lot of fun for both players and spectators. We're looking forward to our next season. Again, special thanks to all of you!

Submitted by Ginger Casey - Nov. 15, 1985

### O.E.S. Installation

On Saturday evening, November 2nd a new slate of Eastern Star officers was installed for the 1985-86 year.

The Installing Staff consisted of Past Matron Madeleine Kucharek, Installing Officer; P.M. Elsie Jansen, Installing Marshal; Beatrice Berry, Installing Chaplain; P.M. Jennie Annis, Installing Organist; and guest Soloist, Carol Money.

The following elected officers were installed: P.M. Roberta Wright, Worthy Matron; P.P. Clive Marshall, Worthy Patron; Hilda Wolfenbarger and Harry Wolfenbarger, Associate Matron and Associate Patron; P.M. June Ryan, Secretary; P.M. Velda Marshall, Treasurer; Janice Harvey, Conductress; and Marie Laudenslager, Associate Conductress.

The appointed officers included Chaplain, Mildred Hoy; Marshal, Ruby Reetz, P.M.; Organist, Jennie Annis, P.M.; Adah, Virginia Partridge; Ruth, Catherine VanDeWater; Esther, Elsie Jansen, P.M.; Martha, Eileen Chappel; Electa, Annabelle Armstrong, P.M.; Warder, Gladys Tufts and Sentinel, William Tufts.

Mrs. Money sang two beautiful sacred songs in honor of the new officers. A lovely ceremony was climaxed by delicious refreshments, served by a committee chaired by Helma Post, P.M. The tables had been beautifully decorated by Hazel Carver, P.M., and Cay VanDeWater had thoughtfully provided hand-made favors at each place.

The first meeting of the new season was held on Nov. 6th. The annual bazaar was planned for Nov. 22nd, and School of Instruction was announced for December 6th. The next regular meeting will be held on Dec. 14, 1985.

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### Elementary Students Visit Kirtland



**FOURTH GRADERS VISIT KIRTLAND** — Shown is Mrs. Bovee's fourth grade class at Kirtland Community College in the biology lab learning about the heart from Mr. Dale. (Photo by P. Courner)

### Doodles From The Tall Timber

by Wendell L. Hoover

Within the stand of Virgin Pines, there is a number of tree species which combined together make up the total forest. Two trees of that total are the birches. The birch family is comprised of some one-hundred species of trees and shrubs. All members of this family have alternate leaves which vary in shape, have prominent veins, toothed margins and short stems. Most birches are small to medium sized trees which grow quite rapidly, but are relatively short-lived. The wood is hard and used extensively in veneers for interior cabinet work.

We have two species here which are common to the north and northeast. The Paper Birch or White Birch is the most widespread in range. According to one source, the White Birch reaches a height of eighty feet and a diameter of two feet. The birch is a pioneer species, which quickly re-seeds areas destroyed by fire. The bark on the Paper Birch is its most noteworthy characteristic.

The other birch we have is the Yellow Birch, which prefers to grow in a mixture of beech, maple, Red and White Pine. In a forest, this tree may on good soil, attain heights of ninety feet and diameters up to four feet. This was one of the preferred hardwoods when the northern forest of pine was gone and the lumbermen were trying to ward off financial disaster. The Yellow Birch is in some areas the most abundant of all our native birches.

November 8, our class went to Kirtland Community College. First we went to the auditorium and then we went to the electronics room. We saw robots and some computers. Then we went to the machine shop and saw a whole lot of weird machines. We went to the automotive tech and the man there told us about some of the tools. He showed us a thing he raised cars with. He showed us a machine that talks. We went to the library and picked out some books and looked at them. Mrs. Karpicke showed some of us around and let us see a thing that holds tapes and it can hold as much as 500 tapes. Our next stop was at the chemistry lab and Mr. Fenton is the teacher there. He told us that colors are important in chemistry and he showed us how to bend glass. He had glasses with clear water in them and dumped them together and they turned different colors.

Our next stop was the biology lab and in there Mr. Dale was the teacher. When we went there they were studying the sheep's heart. After he told us about the sheep he let us look around the room. They had a lot of gross stuff in all the jars. They had a greenhouse too. There was one thing I didn't like. It was all the dead animals in the jars. One of the students was dissecting a cat and showed us the intestine.

That was really gross.

Our last stop was the computer lab and we got to play on them. The disks were music disks and when you would punch a key it would play a tune. There were dumb terminal computers. And the other kind of computer was the Commodore Pets and people were working on them. On the dumb terminals you would have to have a password and if you got the password you would go in a big glass box and work on that one. Written by J.C. Millikin, 4th grade.

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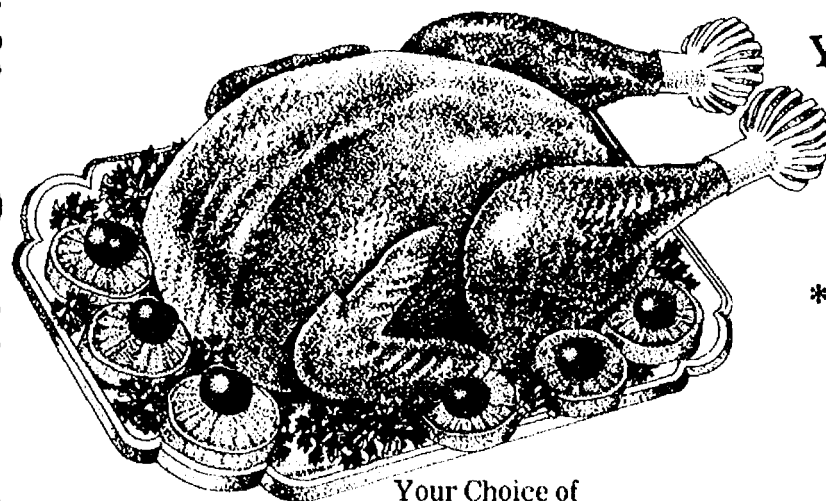
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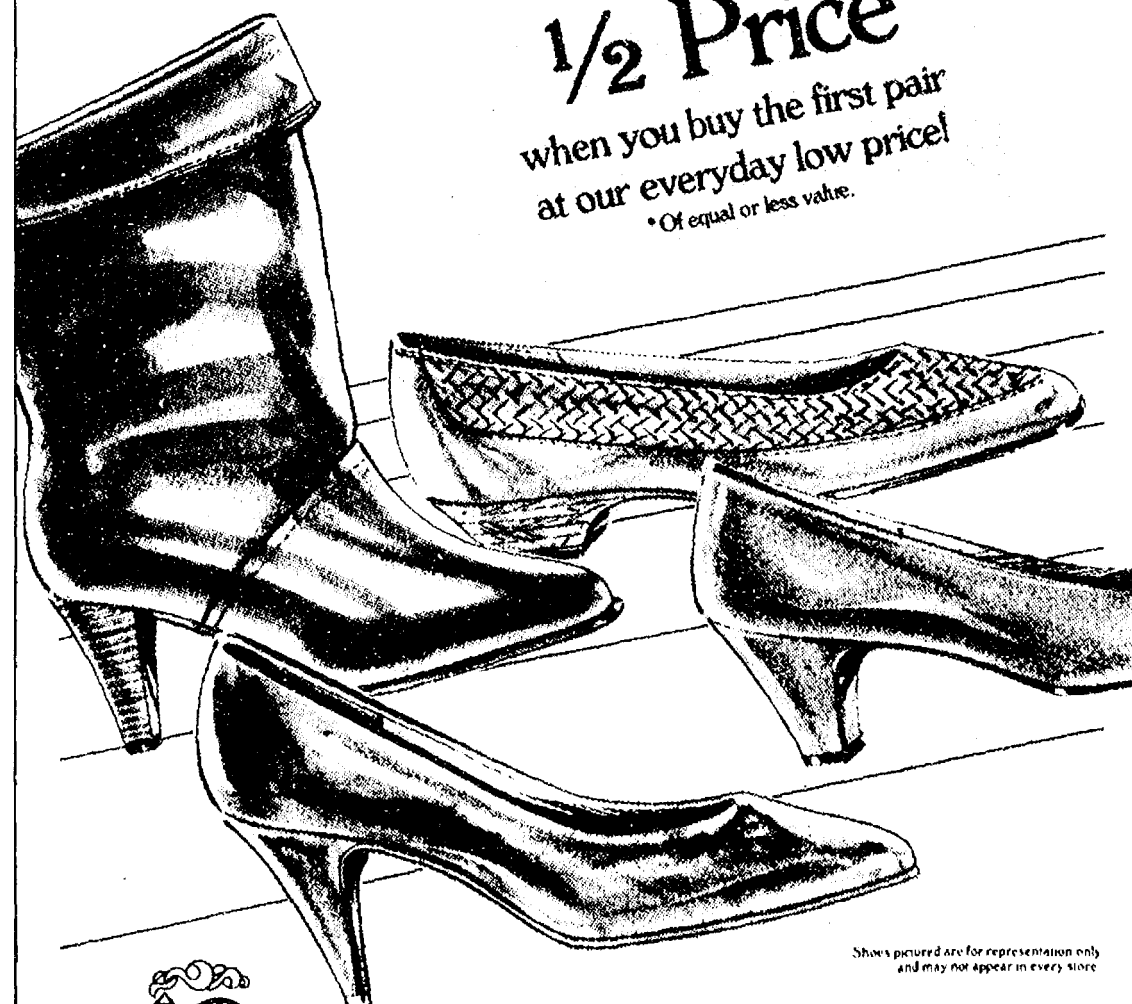
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If such action is not completed by that date further action will be taken.

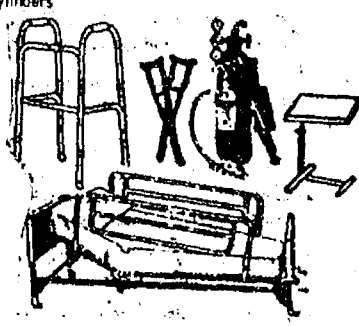
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## Bond Interest Rate

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first year millage rate of 2.72 set for the December 1, 1985, levy will be sufficient to pay the first year's principal and interest for the issue.

The issue proved to be attractive for investors with four to nine secondary investors involved with each of the four bids.

A total of 23 firms participated. Secondary investors with Paine, Webber, Jackson and Curtis are Prudential Bache Securities, E.F. Hutton and Co., Dean Witter Reynolds Inc., and Shearson Lehman Brothers Inc.

Multiple factors were responsible for the favorable rate:

1. The district received an AAA rating, the highest possible Standard and Poors rating for municipal bonds due to: a. The financial condition of the district which allowed the district to insure the bonds through a private insurance carrier. b. The recent economic stability of the district highlighted

by sound fiscal management. c. The stability and strong policy making role of the Board of Education. d. The confidence expressed in district management by the community as evidenced by the strong support for operational millage and bond ballot issues during the past year. e. The positive business and industrial economic climate of the area.

2. The excellent preparation and marketing of the issue by the district's financial consulting firm of Stauder, Barch and Associates.

3. The timing of the issue was excellent as evidenced by the following: 1. 30 year Treasuries are at a five year low resulting in falling interest rates. b. The district beat the federal government massive refinancing to the market. c. The district beat the end of the year rush for new issues and other refinancing.

The Influenza Vaccine:  
Who Should Get It and When

By Pary Reza, M.D.

Influenza viruses cause serious outbreaks of respiratory disease. Cough, fever and extreme weakness, often associated with muscle aches and a sore throat, are the hallmarks of the "the flu". Pneumonia may follow. The elderly, or those with underlying health problems, may become severely ill. They are at "high risk" during influenza epidemics.

In 1968 almost 25% of the U.S. population was affected by influenza. In 1964 at least 10,000 so called excess deaths, directly or indirectly caused by the flu, occurred here. Over 90% of those deaths were in persons over 65.

The influenza vaccine can help control the spread of these epidemics and can prevent infection in many persons. The vaccine is made from several influenza A and B strains and is inactive. It is given by injection into the deltoid muscle of the upper arm. The vaccine is very safe and has few side effects (see below).

About two weeks after vaccination most people will have developed at least some antibodies which will help prevent influenza or at least decrease its severity and risk of complications. However, over the next year, the level of protection will decline and the person will again be susceptible to infection.

Should you be vaccinated? The Center for Disease Control in Atlanta offers the following guidelines:

1. All persons 65 or older.
2. Adults and children with certain chronic disease, especially lung, heart, kidney disease, severe anemia or diabetes mellitus. Lung diseases, for example, include emphysema, asthma, cystic fibrosis and other diseases.
3. Nursing home residents and residents of some chronic care facilities.
4. Anyone with poor immunity (this might include patients getting some form of chemotherapy).
5. Medical personnel.
6. Persons who wish to

reduce their chances of contracting influenza.

Some persons should not be vaccinated. Those include persons severely allergic to eggs. If you have a cold or a fever, the vaccine should be deferred until you recover.

What are the side effects? Generally, few. The injection site may be red and swollen for 1-2 days. Fever, muscle aches may occur, especially in children.

If your doctor recommends the pneumonia vaccine, you get both injections together. Remember the pneumonia vaccine is only given once.

You can still get influenza after vaccination, especially

if you have poor immunity, but the chances of illness, particularly severe illness, is much less.

Pregnant women are not at increased risk of severe illness with influenza. If they do need vaccination, it should be done after the first trimester.

The vaccine should be given by late fall, the beginning of the flu season. If given too early, the antibodies may "wear off". If given too late exposure may occur. October or November may be the best time.

Remember the vaccine will need to be repeated yearly.

## Bandwagon

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grade bands. At the high school, there could be two bands. Either a freshmen band and a 10th - 12th grade band, or a select band students would have to audition for along with a concert band. Even with two high school bands, he said both bands would march together.

The first concert for this year's bands will be held December 12 at the GHS auditorium. The high school band and both middle school bands will play at the Christmas concert, which will feature a sing-a-long as the last piece. Ormsbee hopes to have the fifth grade band join the others to play at the Winter and Spring concerts.

In addition to the regular community concerts, Ormsbee plans to have the high school and possibly junior high band compete in band festivals this year. Since 1978, his Atlanta school bands has advanced from district band competition to the state competition each year. He hopes to start another streak like that here.

Ormsbee graduated from Inland Lakes High School at Indian River and earned a bachelor of music education degree from Northern Michigan University. He's taken graduate work at Northern, the University of Michigan, and the University of Wisconsin.

"The band program is making good progress and if the community keeps backing it like it has, the progress made by the students will be that much faster," said Ormsbee.

## Daniels Den

Eric Cherry, from Petoskey, will be the featured performer at Daniels Den this Saturday, November 23 from 8 to 10 p.m. Eric sings and plays the guitar and has a unique style all his own. He sings contemporary Christian music and is very funny as he talks to the audience, he usually has audience participation with some of his songs. We always have a full house with Eric, so come early.

Daniels Den is located on the corner of I-75 Bus. Loop and M-72 West at the Ice Cream Parlor, Grayling. There is always good fellowship, good refreshments and new friends to be made at Daniels Den. All ages welcome.

## Magistrate

Appearing before Magistrate Irene Wyman last week were the following:

James Ritter of Grayling, was assessed fine and costs of \$48.00 for the offense of "Uncased firearm in a motor vehicle."

## Grayling Township Notice

Please be notified that the Grayling Township Board will hold a public hearing on December 10, 1985, at 8:00 p.m. in the Township office, West M-72 Plaza, to receive and review comments concerning a proposed Special Assessment District for street lighting of Grayling Manor Subdivision, T27N, R3W.

The proposed assessment roll may be examined at the Township office during regular business hours. All objections to the assessment must be in writing and filed with the Township clerk before that date or presented at the public hearing.

Correspondence concerning this matter should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, Mi. 49738.  
Monica S. Ashton, Clerk

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BEERS: Standing left to right, Nicholas Bedard, Mike Green, Johnny Beers, Joey Collen, Keith Bishop. Kneeling, left to right, Ian Andrus, Joey Wagner, Nathan Weaver, Michael Bobenmoyer, Isaac Tobin, Joshua Schoen. Missing: Jason Steele. Coach: John Beers. (Photo by Ginger Casey)



CASEY: 6 & 7 YEAR OLDS — Kneeling: Daniel Prause, Andy Hunter, Ryan Schlehuber, Sean Casey, Brion Davis, Scott Ramsey. Standing: Ed Elsner, Brooke Blaauw, Brandon Rousseau, Michael Johnson, Patrick Lamie, Shane Hinkle. Coach Jerry Casey; missing from photo: Assist. coach Ginger Casey. (Photo by Ginger Casey)



MESACK: 8, 9, & 10 YEARS OLDS — Kneeling: Caleb Casey, Levon Gilman, Greg Mesack, Cory Gusler, Bryan Dennis. Standing: Eddie Phillips, Amy Vandecar, Brian Dunckley, Zack Little, Troy Millikin, Huck Davis. Coach: Paul Mesack, Asst. coach Mr. Davis. (Photo by Ginger Casey)

(Other Team Photos will appear when space permits)

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### Christmas Decorating Contest

Workers in Frederic are sponsoring a Christmas Decorating Contest for the residents of Frederic and Maple Forest areas. This is for the exterior of your home or business only. Judging will take place during the week of Dec. 16th thru the 20th with the three top winners being announced and notified December 21st.

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### Resource Review

By Bruce Patrick  
Conservation Officer

Some kinds of game law violation I can understand, if not condone. Failing to unload or encase a gun while in a vehicle; shooting a second deer for another member of one's party; tagging a deer someone else shot or not tagging a deer immediately upon killing it all come to mind. Even selling game animals can be understood, if one understands the lure of money.

But something that I cannot understand is the desire on the part of some people, whom I refuse to call hunters, to kill, kill, kill. These wanton acts are well attested to by the number of deer which are killed and left to rot. This doesn't occur just during season. And the victims are not just deer. Year-round a certain element feels some need to kill, be it a deer, a rabbit, a grouse or whatever.

Other folks suffering the same sickness, with milder symptoms, are satisfied to "kill" road signs, electric insulators or other inanimate objects.

At any rate, these slobs are endangering everyone's privilege to hunt. Look around. Look at yourself. Look at your friends. If you all shake your heads, you know what I mean. If you snicker and chuckle, you are what I mean.

**Bits . . . . . by Fay**

Handbells will compliment the Christmas Cantata being presented December 15, 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. by the Senior Choir of the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church. Karen Wadsworth (a fame from Pennsylvania) is the director of the Church Handbell Choir.

Tom Feldhauser and son, Jon, of Oscoda visited his parents, Norman and Helen Feldhauser for several days last week. A couple of weeks before, Jon had spent a week with his grandparents.

Cindy Brown of Frederic, has been elected Treasurer of Davenport Christian Fellowship at Davenport College, Grand Rapids.

### Arthritis Program at Mercy Nov. 21st

"Let's Talk About — Arthritis" is the November physician speaker program offered by Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Dr. William George, internist and Chief of Staff at Mercy Hospital will present the program on Arthritis — What it is, What is being done to help arthritis sufferers, & home management techniques to help control the pain and crippling affects. The program will be offered Nov. 21, at 7:00 p.m. in the hospital Dining Room. The "Let's Talk About" program series is a once a month program offered by Mercy Hospital with speakers provided from the local medical community.

### Viking Band Boosters

The elementary school students were so impressed by the band in the Halloween Parade that a large number of the fifth graders have shown an interest in playing instruments. If all estimates are correct, 130 to 140 new students will be in the beginning band! Dennis Ormsbee can relate to their excitement since he began playing the cornet in the fifth grade.

Mr. Ormsbee attended North Central Michigan College, Northern Michigan University, The University of Michigan, The University of Wisconsin, and has a Bachelor of Music Education degree. He came to Grayling after teaching in Atlanta for 13 years. He and his wife, Brenda, have three children. Chad, who is eleven years old and the oldest, plays the trigger trombone.

Mr. Ormsbee commented that he came to Grayling because he felt it was a challenge in his career, and he feels the students can become a fantastic group of musicians. His goals for the band are to make "fine sounding music, bring the playing ability of each person to the point where they are proud of themselves, and start earning awards at festivals and making Grayling known around the state for its music program!"

The Viking Band Boosters' Holiday Fruit Sale will begin Sat., Nov. 23rd. Proceeds will be used to help support the Grayling Band program.

Gloria King

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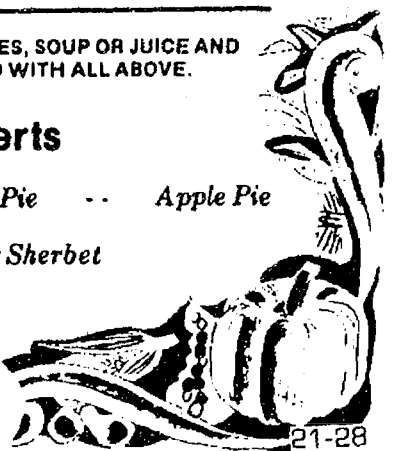
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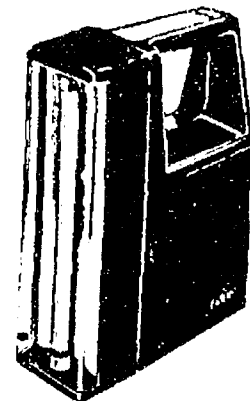
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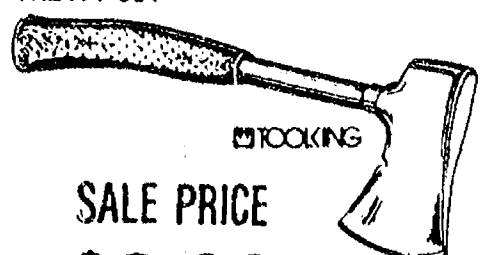
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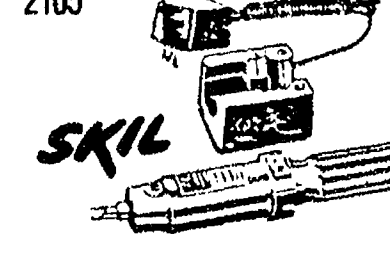
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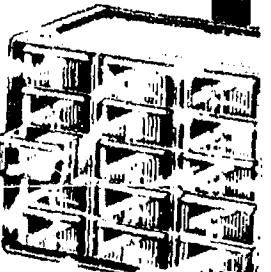
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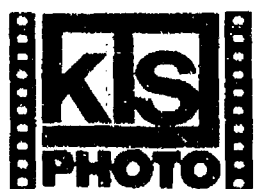


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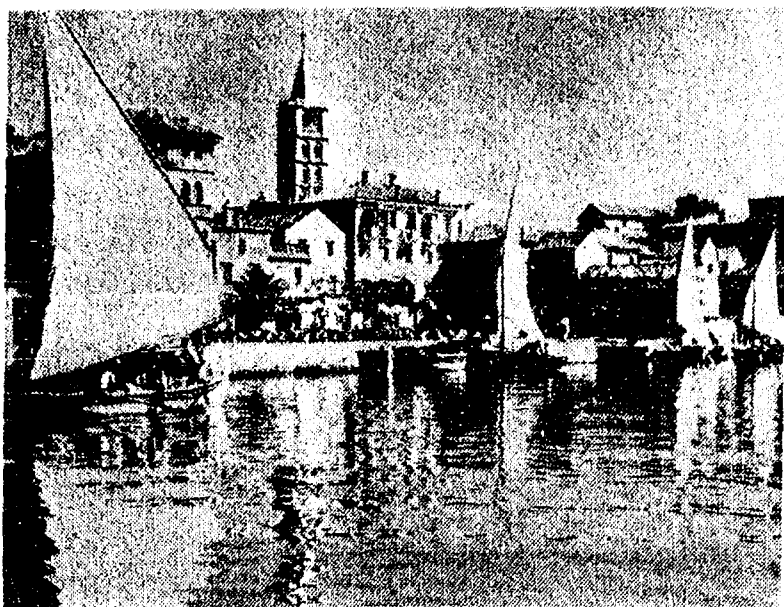


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Yugoslavia presents the traveler with an exciting array of ethnic, language, religious and cultural diversity in one region. People from many different directions and ethnic stocks, Yugoslavia is a cultural cornucopia.

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In Lipik, you'll visit the original home of the famed Lipizan horses and see a display of their style and talent. Traveling through the countryside you'll experience the daily lives of the Yugoslav farmers at work harvesting wheat and relaxing with folk dancing and the national pastime, folk singing.

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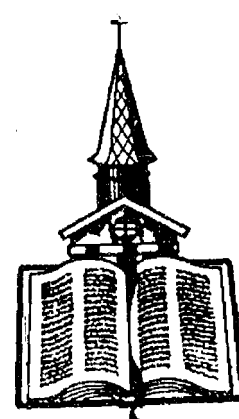
Read the 150th Psalm... It begins and ends with a call for all men to praise God.

Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord. Perhaps we would do well to follow David in this matter of being Thankful. Our Pilgrim Fathers did. They put God right in the center of every Thanksgiving day. It was the Lord's Day... not just another day void of work. Then just what is there about Thanksgiving, about God, that makes me glad? What is it that lifts my face to Heaven when I am sad and when I am glad? Too many times we find the weak, the hungry, the sick and the sad way out in front with their Thanksgiving to God for His fairness, His kindness and His goodwill.

Certainly God goes beyond justice to establish love as the central virtue. He gave up His Son to prove it to us beyond a doubt. He calls on us to be very Thankful for health, if we have it — for wealth, if we own it — and for that friend who can turn us on when our way is dark.

He invites all of us to live like women and men who know very well about God... to be grateful for the few days He gave us which have been full of the trouble He promised. Don't ever let us say a final farewell to dear ones, but let us be Thankful for His promise that we may find them again. Thank you, Lord, for these reasons and many more. Amen.

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Senior Choir ..... Thursdays 7:30 p.m.  
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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
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## Christmas Cantata Expressions

The wonder of Christmas will be delightfully expressed through a beautiful message of music. What does the Christmas Cantata mean to you?

**CAROL MONEY** - "Does your family have Christmas traditions that you have followed for years? We do and one of them is participating in the music of our church. The cantata that our choir presents is such a fabulous way to share the joyous birth of our Savior. This year we will be presenting 'His Love...Reaching' by Ron Huff & Gloria & Bill Gaither, on Dec. 15th at 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Join us so we can share with you some of the beautiful music of Christmas."

**GEORGE MORSE** - "The Christmas Cantata is a very meaningful experience for me because it gives me a chance to do two things. First it allows me to worship our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and celebrate his birth in song, in the fellowship of other wonderful Christian people. Second it gives me a chance to share with those who come to hear, the joy of the season and the love of Christ which is eternal."

**MIKE SMITH** - "The cantata is a chance to return my love to our Lord through both song and spirit, and at the same time help to inspire others to reach out and feel the love that our Lord has for each and everyone of us. (If we will just let Him come into our hearts.)"

**JOYCE FOX** - "Reminds me once again of the great love God has for us."

**ANONYMOUS TEEN-AGER** - "The Christmas Cantata to me is like what snow is to winter or the green grass is to summer. When the cantata is sung, you know that it is representative of the occasion, the season of Yuletide. Listening to the Christmas Cantata will make a person be enlightened in heart and a person will never go away hungry in faith."

**ELSIE & ERNIE LARSON** - "Ernie has taped the last three cantatas, and we have taken them to Florida with us to play to Freemans, Funcks, Ruth Robertson and Jennie Peterson. Each time there has been a few tears shed, hearing our beautiful choir - organ - piano - bells - flutes. We also enjoy the tapes when we are alone. Where else could you get a free lesson thru song & instruments of the 'Birth of our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ.' (Psalm 100 says, 'Serve the Lord with gladness come before his presence with singing.') With Love to all our musicians, from Elsie and Ernie."

**LORNA MORSE** - "It has been written, 'Those who sing, pray twice.' Singing in the Christmas Cantata each year gives me the wonderful chance to celebrate the joy of Christmas every

rehearsal for at least six weeks before the final singing. A spiritual reminder again and again of the real reason for Christmas: God's Love reaching. And then the final singing: The sanctuary is full of people. This is the moment that we, the singers, can give the gift we've been preparing for so long. Together - both singers and those who come to listen, share and celebrate God's wonderful gift of love."

**MAE WALTZ** - "As the holiday season approaches with all its hustle, bustle, excitement and anticipation, we tend to lose sight of our real reason for celebrating - the birthday of our Savior. Amidst all the commercialism and daily activity, it is always encouraging to experience anew the real meaning of Christmas as our choir shares with us annually a new and exciting rendition of an age-old message of God's love. I look forward to this year's cantata entitled, 'His Love...Reaching' as it brings to mind our Lord's command in the book of Matthew 28: 19-20: 'Go, then, to all peoples everywhere...and teach them to obey everything I have commanded you. And I will be with you always, to the end of the age.'"

Submitted by Janet Dice, who lovingly invites you to attend this year's Christmas Cantata, Dec. 15, (11:00 a.m. or 3:00 p.m.) at the Melson Memorial United Methodist Church, 400 Michigan Ave., Grayling. Free Admission.

### Crisp Pickles

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### Notice of Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by NORTHERN EQUINE SERVICES, INC., a Michigan corporation, to EMPIRE NATIONAL BANK OF TRAVERSE CITY, a national banking association, dated March 13, 1984, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on April 12, 1984, in Liber 224 of Mortgages, on page 131, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of One Hundred Thirty-five Thousand One Hundred Forty-six and 94/100 Dollars, and no proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative:

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described or so much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the

front lobby of the County Building in the city of Grayling, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in and for said County, on Thursday, December 5, 1985, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and said premises will be sold to pay the amount so as aforesaid then due on said Mortgage together with ENB Prime + 2% (subject to collars set forth in the note) per cent interest, legal costs, Attorneys' fees and also any taxes and insurance that said Mortgagee does pay on or prior to the date of said sale; which said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit:

Part of Sections 2 and 3, Town 25 North, Range 2 West, South Branch Township, Crawford County, Michigan, more fully described as: Commencing at the Northeast corner of said Section 2; thence North 89 degrees 00' 03" West, 1321.14 feet along the North line of said Section 2, to the Point of Beginning; thence South 0 degrees 33' 08" West, 1353.45 feet along the East one-eighth line of said Section 2; thence South 0 degrees 33' 53" West, 980.08 feet, along said one-eighth line; thence South 0 degrees 33' 08" West, 316.29 feet, along said one-eighth line; thence North 89 degrees 23' 00" West, 3218.74 feet; thence South 4 degrees 10' 47" West, 739.05 feet; thence North 89 degrees 14' 13" West, 600.25 feet; thence South 0 degrees 34' 27" West, 183.71 feet, to the North boundary line of the recorded plat of South Branch Ranch Unit No. 1; thence along said boundary line the following courses: South 69 degrees 53' 22" West, 415.32 feet, to the Northeast corner of Lot 18 of said plat (previously recorded as South 69 degrees 52' 00" West); thence North 66 degrees 02' 28" West, 49.10 feet (previously recorded as North 65 degrees 59' West); thence South 22 degrees 10' 46" West, 285.74 feet (previously recorded as South 22 degrees 19' 00" West, 285.70 feet); thence Northwesterly 20.00 feet along the arc of a 255.82 foot radius curve to the left, the long chord of which bears North 64 degrees 09' 23" West, 20.00 feet (previously recorded as North 64 degrees 06' West); thence Northwesterly 258.12 feet (previously recorded as 258.00 feet), along the arc of a 245.50 foot radius curve to the right, the long chord of which bears North 36 degrees 14' 48" West, 246.39 feet (previously recorded as North 36 degrees 13' 30" West, 246.30 feet); thence North 6 degrees 07' 38" West, 473.40 feet (previously recorded as North 6 degrees 07' 38" West, 473.40 feet); thence South 83 degrees 54' 15" West, 123.35 feet (previously recorded as South 83 degrees 52' 00" West, 123.45 feet); thence Northwesterly 54.59 feet (previously recorded as 54.50 feet) along the arc of a 50.54 foot radius curve to the right, the long chord of which bears North 65 degrees 14' 53" West, 51.98 feet (previously recorded as North 65 degrees 13' 00" West, 51.90 feet); thence North 34 degrees 17' 26" West, 260.43 feet (previously recorded as North 34 degrees 19' 00" West, 260.40 feet); thence Northwesterly 201.00 feet (previously recorded as 200.70 feet), along the arc of a 602.80 foot radius curve to the right, the long chord of which bears North 24 degrees 48' 00" West, 200.07 feet (previously recorded as North 24 degrees 46' 15" West, 199.15 feet); thence North 15 degrees 16' 16" West, 66.03 feet (previously recorded as North 15 degrees 19' 30" West, 66.00 feet); thence South 74 degrees 40' 27" West, 33.02 feet (previously recorded as South 74 degrees 41' 00" West); thence leaving said plat boundary line North 15 degrees 19' 30" West, 117.00 feet; thence North 23 degrees 39' 30" West, 574.10 feet; thence North 6 degrees 13' 44" West, 210.17 feet; thence North 24 degrees 54' 23" East, 699.48 feet; thence North 4 degrees 51' 00" East, 64.71 feet; thence South 88 degrees 48' 57" East, 1192.76 feet; thence South 89 degrees 01' 42" East, 41.88 feet; thence South 89 degrees 05' 17" East, 488.75 feet; thence South 0 degrees 35' 13" West, 184.51 feet; thence South 89 degrees 28' 27" East, 1832.55; thence South 14 degrees 40' 22" East, 281.83 feet; thence South 88 degrees 46' 23" East, 719.08 feet; thence North 42 degrees 26' 38" East, 335.85 feet; thence North 38 degrees 50' 48" East, 200.37 feet; thence North 0 degrees 27' 53" East, 1355.42 feet, to the North line of said Section 2; thence South 89 degrees 00' 03" East, 383.42 feet, along said North line to the Point of Beginning.

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Bids must be received by James McMillan, Area Forest Manager, Mio Forest Area, AuSable State Forest, 191 South Mt. Tom Road, Mio, Michigan 49847, not later than 10:00 a.m., Thursday, December 5, 1985.

For further information, contact James McMillan at 517/826-3211.

RONALD O. SKOOG, Director



### NOTICE OF Public Hearing

Public hearing will be held at Beaver Creek Township Hall, December 2, 1985, 7:00 p.m., to discuss Georgia Pacific tax abatement on the proposed Resin Plant.

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### Community Calendar of Events

Nov. 21 - Great American Smoke Out - American Cancer Society  
Nov. 22 - O.E.S. Bazaar - Masonic Temple  
Nov. 24 - Feather Bingo - American Legion Hall 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.  
Nov. 27 - Senior Citizens Thanksgiving Dinner - Senior Citizens Center 1:00 p.m.  
Nov. 28 - Happy Thanksgiving  
Nov. 29 - G.P.A.'s Grayling Light Up For Christmas and Santa Arrives at 6:00 p.m.  
Dec. 6 - Milltown Festival Meeting - Mercy Hospital - Doctors Lounge 9:00 a.m.  
Dec. 13 - G.P.A.'s Residential & Commercial House Decorating Contest - Judging 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Phone in your public events to: 348-2921.

**GRAYLING Regional Chamber of Commerce**

### W.I.F. News

Our November 12th meeting was brought to order with eight members present and a number of items were discussed.

Members decided to donate money for the needy children in Grayling and Kalkaska areas. The Mr. and Mrs. Claus program is a very worthwhile project and we urge other clubs and individuals to drop off their donations at the W.Q.O.N. radio station. Remember Christmas is a time of giving.

We have also purchased a two gallon container to transport hot coffee to our Frederic volunteer firemen when the need arises.

Saturday, December 21st we will be having our second childrens Christmas party starting at 1 p.m. and going until 3 p.m. Children from the Frederic and Maple Forest areas are welcome at the Frederic fire hall to have hot chocolate, cookies, a chat with Santa, and a take home treat.

We are going to sponsor a Christmas decorating contest for residents in Frederic and Maple Forest areas. This contest is for the Exterior Only. Judging will be done during the week of December 16th thru the 20th. The three top winners will be picked on the 21st of December. Look elsewhere in this issue of the Avalanche for further details.

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### Bowling Leagues

PIONEER LEAGUE	
1. Avalanche	31
2. Chemical Bank North	30
3. Dawsons	23
4. Terry & Dave's 78	22
5. Millikins Construction	22
6. Cornell Agency	22
7. Main Street Florals	21
8. Skit's Sport Shop	6
High Series: J. Hinds 578, N. Glasslee 559, B. Pryor 533.	
High Game: N. Glasslee 236, J. Hinds 213, L. Tobin 202.	
TRIANGLE LEAGUE	
1. Jack the Turner	113
2. Kamph's Trash & Cbge	97 1/2
3. Air Way Automation	92
4. Glen's Mkt.	84 1/2
5. Davis Jewelers	82 1/2
6. Parsons Advertising	81 1/2
7. Straits Corp.	80 1/2
8. Spikes	72 1/2
High Game: R. Pyle 206, T. Barr 203, K. Moore & K. Louchart 201.	
High Series: K. Moore 552, R. Pyle 551, T. Barr 536.	
NORTHWOOD LEAGUE	
1. Helsel's Firewood	31
2. K & K Masonry	27
3. Legion Rollers	24
4. Bubbles Belles	22
5. Grayling Floor Covering	20
6. Laurines	19
7. Rochette's IGA	17
8. Fred's Auto Body	16
High Game: M. Holzman 220, J. Rasmussen 203, D. Ashworth & N. Cindala 180.	
High Series: J. Rasmussen 538, P. Holzman 501, H. Hinds 498.	
ROOKIE ROLLERS	
1. Moshier's	19 1/2
2. R & H	19
3. McDonald's	18
4. K Mart	16 1/2
5. Legion Lanes	15
6. Grayling State Bank	13
7. C.B.N.	11
8. Roost Motel	8
High Game: N. Siwula 117, K. Ockerman 110, T. Hinds 88.	
High Series: N. Siwula 204, K. Ockerman 188, T. Hinds 170.	
High Game: C.J. Kucharek 99, M. Moshier 87, C. Kucharek 84.	
High Series: M. Moshier & C. Kucharek 164, C.J. Kucharek 158, B. Croze 153.	
PIN PALS	
1. Helsel's Firewood	29
2. Witte's	26
3. Down River Ace	25
4. C.B.A.	24
5. Millikins	23
6. Mac's Drugs	21
7. Grayling Stogies	18
8. Pete the Greek	10
High Game: S. Hinds 140, C. Fedewa 135, C. Dana 118.	
High Series: S. Hinds 402, C. Fedewa 354, C. Dana 331.	
High Game: O.J. Kurk 177, E. Bonamie 176, T. Hough 168.	
High Series: O.J. Kurk 472, T. Hough 414, E. Bonamie 398.	
SENIOR CITIZENS	
1. Larry & Joan's	25
2. Flowers by Josie	22 1/2
3. Pro Mart	21
4. R & H Sports	21
5. Chemical Bank North	20
6. Great Lakes	19 1/2
7. Cornell Ins.	19
8. Greenbush Tavern	12
High Series: B. Bellanger 608, R. Pryor 573, R. Cline 548.	
High Game: B. Bellanger 247, R. Pryor 210, H. Ingram 200.	
High Series: B. Cline 825, D. Burriek 473, V. Stafford 462.	
High Game: B. Cline 277, D. Burriek 173, G. Germain 167.	
THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE L.	
1. Grayling Floor Covering	29
2. Silly Sam's Malt Shoppe	27
3. Parsons Advertising	24
4. Maxi Muffler	23
5. Spikes	23
6. K & K Masonry	20
7. North Central Erectors	15
8. Women of the Moose	13
High Game: K. Pyle 210, B. DeHart 190, D. Denno 173.	
High Series: K. Pyle 529, D. Denno 490, B. DeHart 478.	
SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES	
1. Grayling Floor Covering	22
2. Fuelgas	21
3. K & K Masonry	17
4. Schusters	16
5. A.J.D. Forest	16
6. Down River Ace	14
7. Best	14
8. Carlisle Paddles	12
High Game: S. Kea 200, K. Moshier 180, E. Hulbert 179.	
High Series: S. Kea 508, K. Moshier 478, G. Sampsel 467.	
High Game: R. Moshier 199, H. Baker & T. Denno 192, J. Stevens 185.	
High Series: T. Denno 526, W. Fedewa 502, H. Baker 498.	
RECREATION LEAGUE	
1. Bay City Times	32
2. Holiday Inn	29
3. John's Hallmark	27 1/2
4. Irishman's Shanty	24 1/2
5. Legion Rollers	24
6. Grayling Power	23
7. Oxbow Club	22
8. Timberview Village	22
9. Scheer Motors	20
10. Grayling State Bank	19 1/2
11. Wurtsmith Credit Union	19
12. North Central Erectors	18
13. Fabiano Bros.	18
14. Northern Vending	18
15. Bear's Country Inn	18
16. Air Way Automation	17 1/2
High Game: J. Potter 199, J. Hinds 196, V. Hart 193.	
High Series: J. Hinds 519, V. Hart 512, J. Yoder 502.	
SUNDAY AFTERNOON FUN L.	
1. Video Room	29
2. Spike's Keg O Nails	27
3. Dee's Ice	26
4. Grayling Restaurant	22 1/2
5. Kamph's Trash & Garbage	22 1/2
6. Chief Shoppenagons	17
7. Grayling Moose	16 1/2
8. Legion Lanes	15
High Series: C. Porter 554, M. Harwood 532, P. Hetrick & P. Kamph 506.	
High Game: M. Harwood & C. Porter 210, P. Hetrick 188, B. Annis 185.	
High Series: K. Ashton 485, J. Helsel 477, P. Harwood & L. Hetrick 443.	
High Game: K. Ashton 178 & 175, J. Helsel 170, A. Kamph 169.	

### Friendships, Memories Highlight Grayling Pageant

By Kris Laudenslager

As Miss Grayling 1985, I have experienced many new and exciting things. A goal of mine has been fulfilled with my reign, and that is to always strive to be a better person and learn to make the best of any situation. I have made many new friends since the pageant, and have great memories of good times that I will never forget.

What is most important though, is that I can truly say if I had not won anything in the pageant, I still would have never regretted going out for it. The time spent with the other girls and all the things we did together was worth it. We all became closer and helped each other in many ways. This is why I strongly encourage girls to go out for the pageant.

I really feel that being in the pageant is a privilege that all senior girls have, not just a choice. The main thing that makes the pageant what it is, is the people behind it. They really know how to show the girls a good time and make the entire event successful for everyone. They care about each and every girl, and are there to help you — enthusiastically — at any time.

If I had chosen not to go out for the pageant, I believe I would have missed out



Kris Laudenslager  
Miss Grayling '85

on a great and meaningful learning experience.

For all of you girls who are not sure, or do not plan on going out — you really should reconsider your decision. You have absolutely nothing to lose — and everything to gain.

For you who have decided to participate, I wish you the best of luck — and most of all — Have Fun!!

### Positive Parenting Program

The Positive Parenting Program has been underway in Crawford County for over a year. Caring volunteers are matched with teen parents or expectant parents to help them prepare for childbirth, teach healthful childcare habits, and provide emotional support as a friend. Several young parents have become involved in Positive Parenting since its inception.

This parenting program is being administered by the District Health Dept. No. 1 and more capable volunteers are needed. If you are interested in learning more about this worthwhile program, please call District Health Dept. No. 1 at 348-2841 ext. 258. The program coordinator, Joanne Scott, will be communicating with you regularly and can answer any questions you might have.

If you are a new or expectant parent who would like a friend to help you, please call the Health Department at 348-2841 ext. 258.

### Herbal Corner

I came across a sheet of paper with tidbits of information. I'm not sure, but I believe it was sent to me from one of our co-ops.

To remove kernels from an ear of corn, place it in the funnel of an angel food cake pan and cut from the top down. The kernels will fall in the pan.

Before scalding milk, wipe the bottom of the pan with a bit of butter, and the milk will not scorch.

Turn a colander upside down over the frying pan when frying chicken, fish, or meat. Steam can escape, but fat cannot splatter.

The layers of a cake will come out of their pans without sticking, if you set hot pans on damp cloths when they come out of the oven.

Heat lemons and limes in hot water a few minutes before squeezing. You will get twice as much juice. This applies to oranges as well, folks; and the warmth is what will make egg whites beat higher in a shorter length of time.

Place oranges in a hot oven for a few minutes before peeling and no white fibre will be left on the orange.

Always knead your pastry dough with the heel of your hand. It is the coolest part of your hand. Darlin', keep this in mind when you knead your bread.

Frozen berries in bread will not bleed if only partly defrosted. Bake a little longer.

When boiling rice or macaroni, grease for three of four inches inside the kettle holding water, and it will not boil over. This almost makes sense since we know that starch sometimes acts like a glue and adheres to surfaces.

More next week, darlin'. In the meantime keep that pretty little grin with 'loveya' attached to it.

Herbally yours,  
E. Diona Cerelli, C.H.

### Celebration of Lights Kickoff Set for Friday, Nov. 29th

The Grayling Promotional Association will again be sponsoring the Celebration of Lights kickoff on Friday, November 29th at the Crawford County Courthouse.

All merchants and residents will be asked to turn on their lights promptly at 6:00 p.m. Christmas carols will be sung, and the high school band will be on hand.

Santa Claus will arrive shortly thereafter, for his annual visit with the children, accompanied by his helper, Jingles.

Plan to be on hand for the Kickoff to the 1985 Holiday Season.

### Christmas Decorating Contests

The Grayling Promotional Association will be sponsoring the third annual exterior Christmas Decorating Contest. This year there will be two categories, Residential and Commercial.

First place winners in each category will receive a Certificate, on which Terry Dickinson will draw a sketch of their home or business. Gift Certificates from GPA members will also be awarded.

The judging will be held December 13th, entries should be sent to Joyce Bourrie, P.O. Box 194, Grayling.

### Grayling Basketball League Meeting Set for Sunday, Nov. 24

An open meeting to discuss the Grayling Basketball League will be held at 7 p.m. Sunday, November 24, in the basement of the Chief Shoppenagons Hotel.

A proposal to hire registered referees for this year will be presented. A proposal to divide the league into two divisions of fast and slow play will also be presented.

A representative from each of the eleven teams entered last year has to be on hand for the meeting if their team wants to play in the league again. A representative of any new teams wishing to enter must also be at the meeting. Because of limited gym use, the league will be limited to 12 teams this year. Games are tentatively scheduled for 7 to 10 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday night. The league is tentatively scheduled to play 10 weeks again — Dec. 11 and 12, Dec. 18 and 19, Jan. 8-9, 15-16, 22-23, 29-30, Feb. 5-6, 12-13, 19-20, and 26-27.

For more information, team representatives can call Jon Thompson.

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